OL. XVIII. NO. 58 — LIMA, OHIO, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20 1901. — PRICE THREE CENTS.

STEAMER

nges Over a Lock in the Kanawha and is Totally Wrecked.

ght Men on Board Drowned.

ious Current Wrested the Vessel from the Pilot's Control. Victims were Deck-hands. Chapter of a Day's Accidents in States.

leston, W. Va., Dec. 20.—The e Kanawha Belle, which runs n Charleston and Montgomery, ver Lock No. 5, at Paint Creek, down trip, broke in two and is wreck. Eight of the crew, all nds and roustabouts, were d. All of the officers of the re saved, but some of them row escapes. The sunken boat ned by the Calvert Brothers. er has been up for several days re was a furious current as the nd the pilot was unable to con- boat on approaching the lock. lvert, another boat owned by verts, went to the rescue of the re and brought them here.

dead: Sam Hawkins, Sam Dave Anderson, Birney Light- hannon, Charles Viney, Bud and st names unknown). All were deckhands and roustabouts. rtin, a passenger on the boat, cued from the water by the crew, but died from fright on to this city. An eye witness disaster says the boat steamed to the dam and went over to tion. Information from the crew is to the effect that the pilot, Snyder, was at supper fore the lock and dam was l; that he entered the pilot to relieve the substitute pilot at he became bewildered and t the boat was going the other The steamer was valued at $10,- l was not insured. The owners boat reside here.

Dozen Men Roasted.

burg, Dec. 20.—By an explo- gas in the Soho furnace of Laughlin ten men were burn- leath and a number of others ore or less injured, several per- tally. The damage to the plant will amount to $20,000. The explosion occurred in one of the big blast furnaces. The men were at work at the top of the furnace, over 120 feet from the ground. They were employed as fillers, and were just getting ready to quit work, being members of the night crew, when the gas, which accumulated in the furnace, exploded, and tons of molten metal, cinders and slag were thrown over the unfortunate men on the top of the structure.

Coach Left the Track.

Sharon, Pa., Dec. 20.—An accident occurred on the Pittsburg, Bessemer and Lake Erie railroad by which a dozen passengers were more or less injured, none, however, fatally. The accident occurred at Houston Junction, a short distance from Moyer. All the coaches on the train passed safely over the switch except one, a day coach. It jumped the rails, jolted over the ties a short distance and then turned completely over, rolling against a locomotive that was standing on a side track.

Frightful Fall.

Charlotte, N. C., Dec. 20.—Ross Russell, a young white man employed at the Union copper mine at Gold Hill, was knocked out of the bucket, in which he was coming from the shaft at the end of his work, falling 500 feet to the bottom. His body was brought up shortly afterward a mass of jelly.

Tragedy Attends a Belling.

Chillicothe, O., Dec. 20. -- At Bert Fox's home near here a crowd was belling him in celebration of his marriage when Ray Miller, 13, accidentally shot David Daugherty in the back with a shotgun, instantly killing him. Dougherty leaves a wife and three children.

SLAYER

Of Policeman Crum is Executed.

Rube Quinn Hanged at Danville, Ry., Today.

Was Proprietor of a "Blind Tiger" and Killed an Officer Who was Endeavoring to Serve a Warrant on Him.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Danville, Ky., Dec. 20.—Reuben Quinn was executed this morning for the murder of policeman John T. Crum. He was pronounced dead in seven minutes. Quinn operated a "Blind Tiger" saloon and was a dangerous man. While Crum was attempting to serve a warrant for Quinn's arrest, he was shot to death. Before the trial was concluded Quinn confessed and said he killed the officer after the latter had drawn a knife on him.

FRIGHTFUL

Experience of a Young Colored Lad.

Laid in an Old Barn Four Days Without Food,

Then Crawled a Mile and a Half on Knees and Elbows With Both Feet and Hands and Fore-arms Frozen.

Special by Wire to Times-Democrat.

Chagrin Falls, Dec. 20.—Mrs. Wm. Johnson found a colored boy lying on her doorstep yesterday. He gave his name as Joe Kelley, of Niles, O. Both of his arms were frozen to the elbows and both legs from his feet to his knees. Saturday night the boy became sick while going along the road. He crawled into an old barn where he lay during the zero weather, without food, until Thursday, when he crawled on his knees and elbows to the home of Mrs. Johnson, a mile and a half distant.

POISON

Was Not Given Rathbun's Alleged Victim.

Special by Wire to Times-Democrat.

Jeffersonville, Ind., Dec. 20.—The testimony in the Rathbun murder trial introduced today tends to show that poison was not administered to Goodman. Chloroform, however, may have been the cause of death.

Grain and Pork.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Chicago, Dec. 20.—Closing May wheat 80¼; corn 66⅞; oats 45; pork 16.72.

SOBS

Shook the Form of the Prophet

When He Told

How His Confidence Had Been Shaken

By His Brother-in-law, the Plaintiff in the Legal Action.

"Dr." John Alexander Dowie, of Zion Fame, Has Troubles on Hands as a Result of His Lace Industry.

Chicago, Dec. 20.—"Dr." John Alexander Dowie, the proclaimed "Elijah the Restorer," broke down when he went on the witness stand in his own behalf, and between choking sobs told how his confidence in his brother-in-law and legal opponent, Samuel Stevenson, had been shaken. Later, as he was cross-examined, his meek and lowly demeanor changed, and he denounced Stevenson, called him an "abominable traveling companion," and said that he was of no use in "Zion" and was always blundering.

The testimony offered by Dowie was to the effect that he had given Stevenson the checks, aggregating $50,000, ostensibly to release certain indebtedness between them. The checks were exhibited in court and showed indorsements by Mary Ann Stevenson for stock in Zion lace industries. Dowie went into great detail to show how his stock had accidentally come back into his possession. Dowie set down as "nonsense" the charge that by "honeyed words" or "artifice" he had inveigled Stevenson to come to America to take charge of the lace industries, and denied that he had used any power whatever to that end.

VALUABLE

Registered Packages Stolen Last Night.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Memphis, Tenn., Dec. 20.—A mail pouch, containing registered packages, was stolen while in transit from the Illinois Central depot to the post office at a late hour last night. The registered packages were put on at Jackson Miss., and were estimated to contain between $1,000 and $5,000.

THE DETROIT SOUTHERN R. R.

Will run special excursion train to Springfield, Sunday, Dec. 22d, leaving Lima at 8:00 a. m., arriving at Springfield at 10:20 a. m. Returning, train will leave Springfield at 11:45 p. m. Only $1.00 for the round trip.

8-2t G. E. ROBINSON, Agent.

PROTEST

Of Admiral Sampson is Presented,

Asking That Dewey's Report be Set Aside.

Main Contention is That Question of Who was in Supreme Command During Battle was Not Raised.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Washington, Dec. 20. — Admiral Sampson's attorneys this morning presented to the secretary of the navy, their formal protest against Admiral Dewey's minority report. The protest is brief. The main contention is that the question of who was in supreme command during the battle of Santiago, was not raised in the precept convening the court, that Admiral Sampson was not allowed to present any testimony in his behalf on this point and that therefore it could not properly be made a subject of the finding by either the majority or minority of the court. Accordingly Secretary Long is asked to rule out the minority report made by Admiral Dewey.

General Alger Quite Ill.

Detroit, Dec. 20.—General R. A. Alger, formerly secretary of war, is suffering from a severe attack of gall-stones. A consultation of physicians was held at his residence and it was decided that unless General Alger should decidedly improve an operation would soon be performed on him to relieve the trouble. Asked whether General Alger was in a dangerous condition, his physician replied: "He is in a critical condition, but I do not think it should be called dangerous at present."

Was a Mistake.

City of Mexico, Dec. 20.—Harry H. Fleischmann was arrested at Leon, in the state of Guanajuato, by mistake, the supposition being that he was the alleged Los Angeles bank defaulter by that name. He was released after 20 hours when his identity was fully established. The whole affair proved an error.

Chile and Argentine.

Buenos Ayres, Dec. 20.—There is no change in the international situation. The Tribuna says that in order to effect the re-establishment of tranquillity between Argentina and Chile, the latter must renounce her belligerent attitude.

A COMMON TROUBLE.

Thousands Suffer From it Without Knowing its Real Character.

No trouble is more common or more misunderstood than nervous dyspepsia. People having it think that their nerves are to blame, are surprised that they are not cured by nerve medicines and spring remedies; the real seat of the mischief is lost sight of; the stomach is the organ to be looked after.

Nervous dyspeptics often do not have any pain whatever in the stomach, nor perhaps any of the usual symptoms of stomach weakness. Nervous dyspepsia shows itself not in the stomach so much as in nearly every other organ; in some cases the heart palpitates and is irregular; in others, the kidneys are affected; in others, the bowels are troubled, with loss of flesh and appetite, with the accumulation of gas, sour risings and heartburn.

Mr. A. W. Sharper of No. 61 Prospect street, Indianapolis, Ind., writes as follows: "A motive of pure gratitude prompts me to write these few lines regarding the new and valuable medicine, Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. I have been a sufferer from nervous dyspepsia for the last four years; have used various patent medicines and other remedies without any favorable result. They sometimes give temporary relief until the effects of the medicine wears off. I attributed this to my sedentary habit, being a bookkeeper with little physical exercise, but I am glad to state that the tablets have overcome all these obstacles, for I have gained in flesh, sleep better and am better in every way. The above is written not for notoriety, but is based on actual facts."

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CHAFFEE

Has No Confidence in the Filipinos as a Race of People

Or Their Professed Loyalty.

He Declares That Deception Exists Everywhere and Denounces the Whole Native People of the Archipelago as Traitors to United States.

Washington, Dec. 20.—"History affords no parallel of a whole people thus practically turning war traitors and in the genius of no other people was ever found such masterful powers of secrecy and dissimulation; but it is needless to say that no powerful state was ever erected or ever can be erected on such immoral and unenlightened foundations." This statement is made by General Chaffee, military governor of the Philippines, in a review of a number of the courtmartial cases in the islands, the records of which have been received at the war department.

The case which brought forth this comment from General Chaffee was one wherein seven natives were tried jointly on a charge of murder. The accused were soldiers in the insurgent army, and after defeat by the American army in the field abandoned even the show of open opposition such as the half-uniformed guerrilla bands make and took up their residence in Taytay, in Luzon, a place protected by an American garrison. Then, following the proclamation of the insurgent chiefs, they proceeded to organize secretly a bolo band. When authorization had been given to establish civil government the band came forward under the leadership of a resident padre and were elected municipal officers of Taytay. Then ensued a remarkable attempt to serve two masters. In all lawful matters they served with the appearance of loyalty the American government, while at the same time they labored secretly and diligently in the interests of the insurrection. This dual form of government, says General Chaffee, existed everywhere, in strongly garrisoned cities like Manilla as well as the smallest barrio. The municipal officers of Taytay next entered upon a series of murders and continued their deadly work until the growing number of mysterious disappearances led to the discovery of the perpetrators by the American authorities. Six of the seven natives were sentenced to be hanged, but General Chaffee commuted the sentence of three of them to imprisonment at hard labor for life. The seventh native, Leonardo De Posoy, a regularly ordained priest, asked for and was granted a separate trial. When Taytay was given a permanent garrison of American troops, De Posoy was found there in pursuit of his calling as curate of the pueblo. Through his advantages of education, his spiritual relations with the people and his interest in their secular affairs, he was easily the most influential man in the community. He cultivated the good will of the American officers and promised to aid them in keeping peace. But when the elections to American civil government offices were held he put forward and caused to be elected as presidente one Caledonio Javier, whom General Chaffee describes as an "illiterate and bigoted man," whom De Posoy well knew was an officer of insurgents and whom he commended to the people as the best man for the office because he was "bold." At his trial De Posoy was held to be the chief agent in the Taytay murders. He was sentenced to 20 years' imprisonment at hard labor.

ANOTHER HORROR

In Which a Number of Lives are Lost Occurs in Pittsburg.

Four Boilers Let Go, Wrecking Two Manufactories and a Residence---Many Workmen Injured.

Special by Wire to Times-Democrat.

Pittsburg, Dec. 20.—One of three large boilers in the Black Diamond Steel Works let go this morning and at least ten men were killed and a score or more injured, the force of the explosion completely wrecking the building and machinery. At the west Pennsylvania hospital there are eleven injured. The list of dead will be greatly extended as the wreckage is removed.

Four Boilres Let Go.

Pittsburg, Dec. 20.—It has been learned that four of the battery of eight boilers let go in the ten-inch bar mill No. 3. There is not a straight piece of iron left in the entire building. The boiler works of the McNeil company, adjoining the Park Plant were also destroyed...One of the boilers went clean through Park brothers mill and crashed into the McNeil plant. Another of the boilers went across Thirtieth street and crashed into the residence of Robert Price at No. 8 Thirtieth street...It went through the front wall and fell into the cellar, completely wrecking the house. Price and his family were asleep at the time but escaped personal injury.

REAR END

Collision on the B. & O. at Scott Haven, Pa.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

McKeesport, Pa., Dec. 20.—B. & O. passenger train No. 14, crashed into the caboose of a freight at Scott Haven this morning. No passengers were killed, but many were slightly hurt. Engineer Frank Hughes, of Glenwood, was probably fatally injured.

SENATOR

Depew and Miss Palmer Will be Married at Nice.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Paris, Dec. 20.—Miss May Palmer, Senator Chauncey M. DePew's fiancee will leave for Nice tonight. The wedding has been definitely set for December 28 and will take place at Nice.

IMPROVED

Is the Condition of Ex-secretary of War Alger.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Detroit, Dec. 20.--Ex-Secretary of War Alger passed a good night and was consequently improved this morning. The operation for gall stones, which was to have been performed today, has been postponed by his physicians until tomorrow by which time it is hoped the operation will be unnecessary.

Live Stock Markets.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Chicago, Dec. 20.—Cattle 4,000, steady; hogs 30,000, slow, 10c lower; sheep 8,000, 10c lower.

Y. M. C. A. BIBLE CLASS TONIGHT.

The teachers and workers' class meets tonight at 7:15 o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. parlor. All teachers, Sunday school workers and those interested in the study of the Bible, are invited to be present.

BUCKEYE

e Represented in the Wreck

Occurred on Southern Pacific Road.

y Officials Claim the Accident was Due to Failure of One of the Engineers to Obey His Orders.

Francisco, Dec. 20.—North and and Southern Pacific coast trains, running between this d Los Angeles, came together ad-on collision at Uplands. A express messenger and bag- n were killed and 25 passen- ore or less injured, probably fatally. The dead: A. Phelps, ger Wells Fargo & Company; and fireman southbound train; eman Thurber. Among the are: John Jordan, Rochester, bruised on head; George Meek- dford, S. D., slightly cut on A. S. Wakefield, Hiram, O., ut; Charles Wasson, Tranquil- shaken up; Mrs. Gertrude Beller, Colo., bruised over neck sprained. Both engines emolished and the baggage, S and chair cars of the north- train were burned.

accident was due, the railway say, to the failure of Engineer of the northbound train to fol- t his orders, which instructed wait at a siding at Uplands he southbound train passed. of waiting the train passed the at the rate of 30 miles an hour. mile beyond it ran into the ound, which was coming at an ate of speed.

East Liberty Markets.

y Wire to Times-Democrat.

Liberty, ec. 20.—Cattle fair; 0 cars; sheep fair, steady.

Farmer Weather Coming.

y Wire to Times-Democrat.

ington, Dec. 20.—Ohio, fair d tonight; Saturday, fair with emperature.

FAMINE

In Coal Threatened in Chicago.

Temperature of Fifteen Degrees Below Zero

Is the Chilling Promise Made by the Weather Bureau—Railroads Confiscating the Coal.

Chicago, Dec. 20.—Chicago is staring a coal famine in the face and 15 degrees below zero is predicted by the weather bureau within 10 hours. Throughout the entire city big consumers of hard and soft coal are begging shippers to supply them, but without avail. The severe weather and the floods throughout the coal-mining districts have tied up railroads to such an extent that shipment is almost impossible. To add to the serious shortage railroad companies are exerting their prerogative of confiscating car lots of coal as fast as they arrive here, and are putting them to their own use. Large business houses are suffering severely for the want of coal and many concerns are hampered by reason of insufficient steam power. Many owners of large flat buildings are besieging coal dealers and begging that they be supplied with coal to tide over the zero weather.

MADAME

Dis de Barr and Her Husband are Sentenced.

Special by Wire to Times-Democrat.

London, Dec. 20.—Madame Dis De Barr and her husband, Theodore Jackson, were found guilty in old Bailey court, and sentence was immediately imposed. Madame Dis De Barr, who had posed as "Swani" to her victims, was sentenced to prison for seven years. Jackson was sentenced to fifteen years imprisonment.

COMPTROLLER'S CLERK

Arrested for Thefts That Have Been Going on for Many Years.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

New York, Dec. 20.—Chas. P. Chipp is in jail today charged with the theft of $30,000 from the Comptroller's office where he has been employed for twenty years. So cleverly has Chipp manipulated his books that they have stood scrutiny of experts for years. But for an erasure noticed last February, it is doubtful if the thefts would ever have been discovered. His stealings extended over the terms of three comptrollers. Mrs. Chipp, wife of the prisoner, states that her husband's dishonor has been caused by a Mount Vernon woman, the wife of an actor.

SLAVERY CONTINUES

Among the Moro Tribes in the Philippines, Says the Report.

Special by Wire to Times-Democrat.

Washington, Dec. 20.—The Philippine report made public today states that slavery is wide spread among the Moros but at the present time exists in an extremely mild form. The old slave hunting expeditions have nearly ceased. Military officers everywhere expressed an opinion that the Moro slaves were, on the whole, so well satisfied with their lot that if they were all set free, a majority of them would promptly return to their old masters and voluntarily take up their old life again. An attempt at the present time to use force in securing the liberty of Moro slaves would inevitably provoke a fierce conflict with these brave and warlike people.

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50c to $2.00.

HOSIERY.

Fancy colored Hosiery for men received this week. Our line of Ladies' Hosiery is unexcelled, and includes some new numbers in fancy goods that are beautiful. Children's and babies' stockings, including the silk heel and toe stockings, at 25c, that are sold at 35c by other dealers here

SILKS.

We have the exclusive sale here of the celebrated Haskell Silks and give a written guarantee with every yard we sell. Taffeta Silks from 49c to $1.50 a yard. The 49c grade is worth 65c. No store in the state can give you better values in silks than we can.

HANDKERCHIEFS.

Ladies' Initial Handkerchiefs at 19c, worth 25c. Men's initial goods at 25c that are as good as any 35c handkerchief in Lima. Excellent values from 1c up to $15.

ROBES.

Baby Carriage Robes from $1.50 to $6 each. At $2.50 we have a good quality of Highland Goat Skin, lined with heavy Shaker flannel and heavily padded.

RUGS.

Smyrna, Axminster and Moquette Rugs in all sizes. A bale of 27x54 Moquette Rugs came in this week, and are marked to sell at $2.25. They are beauties. At $3.50 we sell the large size Moquettes that are usually sold at $3.98 to $5. New room size Rugs in three different qualities just arrived.

BLANKETS.

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UMBRELLAS.

Every price from 50c up to $12. Our Christmas assortment is larger than any year heretofore. Men's elegant silk Umbrellas with sterling silver handles as high as $12 each. Ladies' Umbrellas up to $8.50 each.

SILK WAISTS.

Regular $5 Waists in all colors and all sizes from 32 to 42, have been put into this sale today at $3.75 each.

FURS.

From a modest little scarf at 98c up to the best near seal jacket at $60, our assortment is complete. Among the late arrivals is a large Hare Scarf with six tails, to sell at $2.50—looks like a $10 article. Also a French Stone Marten Scarf marked $5, that is as good as the $8 grade sold earlier in the season.

DRESS SKIRTS.

Peau de Soie and fancy net Skirts in the new serpentine styles at $12 to $35 each.

Carroll & Cooney.

GAGE

Airs His Views Concerning Banks

And Suggests

The Remedies He Would Apply

To Relieve the Weaknesses to the Present Natianal System.

Would Have One Central Institution With Convenient Branches in Large Cities—Guard Against Panics.

New York, Dec. 20. — Secretary of the Treasury Lyman Gage was the guest of honor and the principal speaker at the annual banquet of Group Eight of the New York State Bankers' association, held at the Waldorf-Astoria. Nearly 500 members of the association and their guests were present. George F. Baker, president of the First National bank, was toastmaster. Besides Secretary Gage the speakers were: Ex-Speaker Thomas B. Reed, the Rev. Dr. Donald Sage Mackay, ex-Judge Henry E. Howland and Amos Parker Wilder.

Secretary Gage said in part: "The weakness of our banking system is in the isolation and entire separateness of the individual banks over the country. When a period of distrust or doubt comes over the land there is a seeking of personal safety through that general instinct of self-preservation which drives men in a confused mass over each other at the cry of 'fire' in the theater. I ventured to suggest a system of coalition between individual members of the banking community through the country into one central institution, with convenient branches in the larger cities, in which all banks should be related or interested according to their individual relative importance, and which in a certain sense should represent to the banking interests of the country what the federal government represents in our political system. Great prejudice exists, I know, against the aggregation of great wealth in the hands of a few men. Happily it is the law of nature that larger gains and better advantages can be secured to aggregated wealth by serving faithfully the common interests than by exploiting the community through a system of theft and robbery."

The secretary urged that there be a reform of the currency system of the nation along the line outlined in his report to congress, and declared that no time was more favorable than the present for the judicious revision of the laws.

Ex-Speaker Thomas B. Reed followed Mr. Gage. He said in part: "All the dissatisfaction with our present currency system seems to be in the west and south. The people down there have all about them great natural resources as capable of producing wealth as those in the east. What they want is the means to develop these resources. The trouble with them is that they wanted currency, when they really wanted capital. For this reason I believe in a mixed currency. We must remember that a currency founded on government bonds has received the sanction of 40 years of stump speaking, of which I have done my share. The people have been taught that there was something sacred about this kind of currency. But government bonds are slipping away and the government is becoming a beggar, and something must be done. We must look to the future as well as to the past. The voice of the people, after they have made up their minds, is the voice of God. I want to say to you today that in the great problems that face this nation today we shall be fortunate if we get cold, sensible, dispassionate discussion."

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup seems especially adapted to the needs of the children. Pleasant to take; sothing in its influence; it is the remedy of all remedies for every form of throat and lung diseases.

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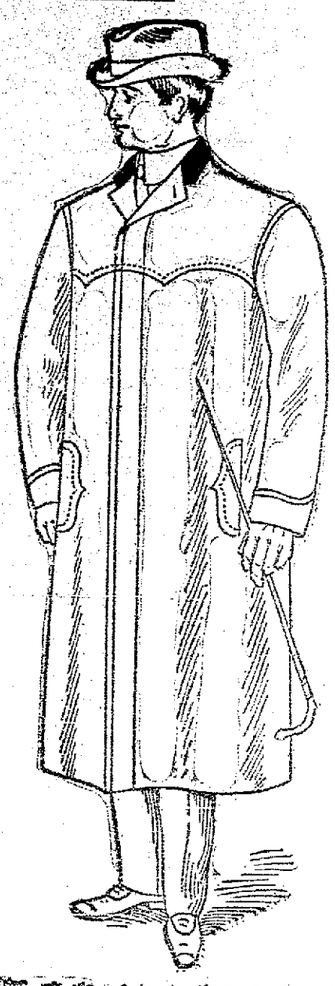

All $10.00 Smoking Jackets go at	$8.00 today.
All $8.00 Smoking Jackets go at	$6.50 today.
All $6.00 and $6.50 Smoking Jackets go at	$5.00 today.
One lot $5.00 Smoking Jackets go at	$3.50 today.
Oxford Mufflers	50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50 and $2.00.
Full Dress "Protectors"	$1.50 and $2.00.
Silk Suspenders	50c, 75c and $1.00.
Gloves (lined and unlined)	50c, $1.00 and $1.50.
Neckwear	50c, 75c and $1.00.
Fancy Hosiery	25c and 50c.
Fancy Shirts	$1.00, $1.50 and $2.00.
Men's Sweaters	$1.00, $1.50 and $2.00.
Boys' Sweaters	50c, $1.00 and $1.50.
Misses' Sweaters	$1.00 and $1.25.

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Flannel Shirts $1 to $2.0.
Night Robes 0c to $2.
Collars and Cuffs.
Collar Buttons.
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Shirt Studs.
Scarf Pins.
Watch Chains. Fobs.
Underwear 25c to $2.50.
Caps 50c to $2.50.
Gloves 25c to $1.50.
Fur Gloves $2 to $5.
Leather Slippers 50c to .50.
Velvet Slippers 50c to $1.
Shoes $1.25 to $5.
Stiff Hats $1 to $4.
Soft Hats 50c to $3.
Trousers $1 to $6.
Suits $5 to $20.
Overcoats $3.50 to $22.
Trunks, Suit Cases and alises.
Umbrellas $1 to $6.

For Boys:

Silk Mufflers 50c to $1.
Neckwear 25c to 50c.
Gloves 25c to $1.
Suspenders 10c to 25c.
Handkerchiefs 10c to 25c.
Stiff Shirts 50c and 75c.
Soft Shirts 50c and 75c.
Flannel Shirts $1.
Underwear 25c and 50c.
Caps 25c and 50c.
Shoes 75c to $2.50.
Vestee Suits, Russian Blouse uits, Norfolk Suits $2 to $5.
Yoke Overcoats $5 to $10.
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A fine assortment of Shoes d Overshoes.
All colors and styles of lt Fur Top Slippers.
Ladies' Fancy Handle Umellas from $1 to $6.

THE UNION
Clothing and Shoe Co.

NEWS

Of the City Across the River.

Turkey Shoot

To be Held by the Winchester Club.

Marriage of Miss Cleo Cavins and Mr. Aaron Shank is Announced.

The 1902 Pedro Club Royally Entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stanyer Last Evening.

J. R. Rakestraw, resident on south Main street, this morning received a letter from his father, J. W. Rakestraw, residing near Williamsport, Pa. The missive related most unpleasant intelligence. The elder Rakestraw, who lives in the reigon recently devistated by terrible floods, was extensively engaged in stock raising. His large farm was almost completely inundated. The water even raised to the second story of his house, located on the highest point upon the farm. He writes his son that his loss of stock, damage to his properties and farm, will amount to twenty thousand dollars. The unfortunate man says the flood was caused by the breaking of mill dams near Proctor.

The 1902 Pedro club was entertained last night at the home of Mrs. Thomas Stanyer, on south Pierce street. Mrs. A. Zimmerman succeeded in capturing first prize. Second was obtained by Mrs. Miller. Mrs. Holtzfoster was consoled. Games were followed by the discussion of seasonable delicacies. Later genuine sociability prevailed until adjournment. Mrs. Stanyer's delectation of her guests was appreciated. The event was mutually delightful. Next week no meeting will be held. On Jan. 2, the club will meet with Mrs. Holtzfoster.

See Crossley rothers before buying your Christmas candies.

The wedding of Miss Cleo Cavins, of south Lima to Aaron A Shank, has just been announced. The nappy event occurred Wednesday evening Rev. Ballinger officiated at the nuptials; the couple being united in wedlock at his home on east Eureka street. The bride is the accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Cavins, residing on south Main street. She is highly esteemed by a wide circle of friends. Mr. Shank is a popular young employe at the C. H. & D. shops. They are at home to their friends on Scott street. A notable event in connection with this wedding is that the ring employed in the marriage ceremony was the same one used twenty-five years ago when the bride's parents became man and wife. Mrs. Cavins presented the ring to her daughter. The newly married couple many friends hope their may be a long, happy and prosperous wedded life.

An informal meeting of the south side Winchester Gun Club was held last night, at which among other things of importance, the matter of having a turkey shoot within a few days was considered. The turkeys will be given to the poor of the city.

Try some of the delicious cakes at Crossley Bros., 715 south Main street.

This afternoon the local schools closed for the annual holiday vacation.

Good beefsteak, ten cents a pound at Crossley Bros., 715 south Main St.

Rev. A. D. Welty, is conducting successful evangelistic services at the Solarville mission. He is occasionally assisted by Rev. Hagerman, of Grace M. E. church.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Cavins, of south Main street, are preparing a large box of home delicacies which they will ship to their son, Ora, at Fort Riley, Kansas, where he is serving in the regular army. A number of others here will send similar rememberances to members of their families at various western posts.

John Anderson, residing on south Jackson street, secured a ten dollar cash prize in the Enquirer election guessing contest.

Lieutenant Mathews came over from Ada this morning to mingle with south side friends, a few days.

Miss Adda Cremean conducting a millinery establishment at Minneopolis, combining business with pleasure in this vicinity, yesterday.

Mrs. J. O. Dempster's guest, Miss Vernie Rumbaugh, has gone to her home at Alger.

Rev. W. H. Gallant will leave tomorrow for Hamlin, where he will preach Sunday.

Mrs. E. W. Jones is here from Delphos, enjoying the hospitality of south side friends.

Frank Walker, after a weeks stay in this community, left this morning for Spencerville, where he will remain awhile before departing for his home in Chicago.

Thomas Thompson, residing on east Eureka street, recently sent to Washington D. C., the diagrams of an apparatus for propelling street cars, which he invented, intending to have it patented as quickly as possible. The product of his experiment tends to the revolutionizing of street car motive power. He proposes to abolish trolly wires and wheels from which the electrical power is now derived, by constructing trucks beneath the cars in such a manner as to generate the requisite power for moving them by the car wheels passing over specially made rails. His idea is to have twelve wheels, the same as now employed under each car. In the center of each rail he would place in small grooves, copper wires. The machinery passing over these the inventor asserts, would generate an electrical current which with the ordinary mechanism of a street car, could be conducted in the dynamo thus furnishing the cars propelling force. By this scheme power houses with their attendant expenses could be obviated. No inconvenience would result in suburban operations. The cost of manipulating the cars would be greatly reduced. Many phases of inconvenience now encountered in operating in cities would be readily remodeled when desired to meet all the requirements of the new arrangement.

Members in this locality of the Auglaize Baptist association have received a valuable work in the form of a beautiful pamphlet containing the minutes of the association for the current year. A portion of the book is devoted biographical sketches of prominent members and pioneer Baptists. It gives a history of the twenty churches comprising the association. Rev. A. W. Yale, well known here, is the author.

Several of his relatives in this locality were in attendance at the special srevices held in the Catholic church at Ada last week in honor of A. C. Baker. The recipient of this unusual distinction is a venerable citizen residing near Ada. Reverends Veirneman of Marysville, and Siebenfoercher, of Kenton, conducted the special services for Mr. Baker.

Bulk olives at Dimond Bros'. 7-2t

Open evenings until Christmas. Columbia Shoe Store.

The largest assortment of Domestic and Imported Cigars in all size boxes for Christmas presents at Morrison's Cigar Co. 6 tf

Miss Grah, teacher of Prof. Flynn's physical culture and vital center course, can be found at 328 north Pierce street. 6-6t

Dr. Taylor, dentist, Cincinnati block. All work guaranteed. 52-tf

Christmas Tree Candles 16 to 48 in box, 10c a box at Dimond Bros.' 7 2

"Itching hemorrhoids were the plague of my life. Was almost wild Doan's Ointment cured me quickly and permanently, after doctors had failed." C. F. Cornwell, Valley street, Saugerties, N. Y.

ARE YOU STILL INTERESTED
In novelties for the holidays, such as Match Safes, Smoking Sets, Hat Brushes, Bonnet Brushes, Tooth Brushes, Nail Files, Paper Knives and many other articles suitable for Xmas presents. Basinger & Cameron. 7-3t

$1.48 buys a fine pair of gentlemens' slippers at the Columbia.

You need not run around in the cold and look for Xmas presents when you can select 100 different kinds of presents at Georgi's Art store, and prices are right, no fancy prices but we have fancy goods, 204 south Main street, 2 doors below Spring. 7-2t

Framing Pictures at Georgi's

CHANGE OF DATE.

The concert by the choral society, which was announced for Friday evening, December 20, has been changed to Monday evening, December 23, at the Congregational church. 7-2t

O do go and see the beautiful store filled with holiday goods, there never was such stock shown in Lima, like at Georgi's Art Store. Open evenings. 7-12t

High-Grade

Wines and Whiskeys

Put up in

Fancy Bottles.

Suitable for a gentleman's Xmas present.

CALL US UP BY 'PHONE
AND WE WILL
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BOTH 'PHONES. GOODS DELIVERED.

Grand Going Out of Business Sale.

AT

The Globe, 202 North Main St.

Is a pronounced success, the thousands of pleased customers who have bought here, have found EVERY STATEMENT AS MADE IN OUR ADS AS "BONA-FIDE" FACTS. The Knox Syndicate, of Buffalo, have rented our store from January 1st, next, so we MUST vacate by Dec. 30th, next. Many goods, all new up-to-date, are selling at

Half Price and Less

Below are a few of the numberless bargains; read, then call in and inspect same, don't put it off, all the goods must be sold by December 30th. A rare chance for Christmas purchasers.

Shoe Department.

No end to the good things if you will not delay your purchases too long.

Ladies' Button or Lace Shoes, worth $1.50, now 75c
Ladies' " " " " worth $2.00, now 99c
Ladies' " " " " worth $3.00, now 1.50
Ladies' extra fine Button or Lace Shoes, worth $4.50, now 1.98
Ladies' Hand Turned Button or Lace Shoes, worth $5.00, now 2.48

Misses Kid Lace Shoes, worth $1.00, now 50c
Misses Calf Lace Shoes, worth $1.50, now 75c
Misses Best Leather Lace Shoes, worth $2.50, now 1.39

Childs' Shoes, lace or button, worth $1.00, now 45c, sizes 5 to 8.
Childs' Shoes, best leather, worth $1.00 to $1.50, now 75c
Finest Baby Shoes, all colors, worth 50c, now 25c

Men's Calf Shoes, lace or congress, worth $1.75 and 2.00, now 92c
Men's Fine Vici Kid and French Calf Shoes, worth $2.00 to 3.00, now $1.25
Men's Fine Hand-Sewed Shoes, extra good, worth $4.00, now 1.75
Men's Tan Vici and Tan Calf Shoes, Hand-Sewed, worth $3.50 to $4.50, now .. 1.50
Men's Good Patent Leather and Box Calf Shoes, worth $3.50 to $4.00, now ... 1.69
Men's Best $5.00 Latest and Best Styles, worth double, now 2.48

Boys' Satin Calf Shoes, lace, worth $1.50, now 75c
Boys' Box Calf and Vici Lace Shoes, worth $2.50, now $1.25
Youths' Assorted Lot Shoes, worth $1.50, now 75c
Little Gents' Box Calf and Vici Shoes, worth $2.00, now 98c
Ladies' 50c and 60c Rubbers at 25c and 35c. Men's 85c and $1.00 Rubbers at 59c and 65c; other Arctics and Rubbers One-Half Price.

Underwear Department.

Men's Gray Cotton, worth 35c, now ..... 16 cents
Men's or Boys' Fleece Lined Heavy, worth 50c, now ..... 25 cents
Men's Fleece Lined, finest, worth 75c, now ..... 42c and 35 cents
Boys' Fleece Lined, worth 35c, now ..... 19 cents
Men's All-wool, worth $1.00, now ..... 50 cents
Men's All-wool, fine, worth $1.50, now ..... 85 cents
Men's All-wool Fine Plushback, worth $1.75, now ..... 98 cents
Men's All-wool Finest, worth $2.38, now $1.25

Men's Hosiery Department.

Men's Hose, worth 6c, now 4 cents.
Men's Hose, worth 20c, now 10 cents.
Men's Hose, worth 12 1-2c, now 6 1-4c.
Men's Hose, worth 35c, now 16c.

Neckwear Department.

Choice of any 50c Ties at 25c.
Choice of any 40c Ties at 19c.
Choice of any 25c Ties at 12 1-2c.

Shirt Department.

White or Colored Dress Shirts, worth $1.25 to $1 50, at 69c; 75c grades at 38c.
Work Shirts—75c value at 38c; 50c value at 30c; 25c value at 16c.

Every Day and Sunday Wear Pants. "OX BREECHES".
Another Pair Free if They Rip!
$1.00 Grades at 48c. $1.35 Grades at 69c. $2.00 Grades at 98c. $2.50 Grades at $1.75. $3.50 Grades at $1.75. $4.00 Grades at $1.98.

Men's Overalls. 50c Grade at 25c. 75c Grade at 39c.

Thousands of other Bargains too numerous to mention. Call soon and lay in a two years supply, as such a chance will never occur again.

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It is now proposed to build an executive mansion at Washington for the exclusive use of the president and his cabinet, locating it south of the treasury building. This is right. Is there any reasonable reason why the president of the United States should not retire to the privacy of his own home life a portion of each twenty-four hours?

For some time past there have been growing indications that a great row was brewing between Senators Foraker and Hanna over the organization of the Ohio legislature; but when Hanna intimated that there might be another candidate for the senate, Foraker's fighting spirit fell down, and he thereupon declared that "It is all a mistake."

The next legislature of Ohio is to be petitioned to repeal the tax on state, city and municipal bonds. This tax is said to operate adversely on the sale of such bonds, which usually pay a low rate of interest, owing to the safety of the investment. The result is that these bonds are driven to other states to avoid taxation, thereby discouraging the investment of local capital in them.

Delaware has a new constitution, which will make practically impossible in the future the corruption of voters by wholesale as it was practiced by "Gas" Addicks for the last eight or ten years. The new rule of voting does not require the prepayment of a poll tax. Heretofore elections have been carried in all parts of that state by candidates and machine managers who appeared near the polling places and paid the poll taxes of citizens who agree to vote for them. This is the way elections are carried in Pennsylvania. Thousands of dollars are contributed annually to buy tax receipts, and this forms an important part of the corrupt election system.

It is better to give than to receive what you don't want.

THE IDLER.

Interesting to Gold Mine Owners.

Those of Lima people who have interests in the gold mining properties in British Columbia will appreciate the following:

Rossland, B. C., advices note that the profits from mine and smelting works of the Le Roi company during the year ending June 30, were $585,000, all of which was put into improvements. The ore reserves above the 900 foot level are estimated at 484,000 tons of an average value of $11.75 a ton.

ICE CREAM AND ICES.

Throughout the entire winter, orders for ice cream and ices will receive prompt attention at the Bowers Bakery. A great supply is always on hand. 8-3t

TALKING MACHINES.

Porter & Son are closing out their entire stock of Talking Machines and Records. Every thing going at wholesale prices. Don't buy until you see this great stock.

TWICE A DAY.

All kinds of baked goods fresh every morning and evening at the Bowers Bakery. 8-3t

Rabbits, Turkeys, Ducks, Turtles and Chicken at Townsend's.

SECRETARY

Of the Treasury Wants to Resign

But the President's Desire is for Him to Remain.

It is Now Authoritively Announced That Secretary Hay Will Not Resign His Position in the Cabinet.

Special by Wire to Times-Democrat.

Washington, Dec. 20.— Secretary Gage told President Roosevelt this morning that he would like to retire from the cabinet inside of two months or by early spring at least. The President is endeavoring to persuade him to remain. Among the possible successors to Mr. Gage that have been mentioned are Judge Wm. H. Taft, civil governor of the Philippines, Myron T. Herrick, of Cleveland, and General F. V. Green, of New York.

It is authoritively stated that Mr. Hay will not resign.

HOME MADE CANDIES.

The finest, most delicious home made candies and popcorn in every style can be obtained at the Bowers Bakery. The display windows are frosted—so we invite you to just step inside and see our large assortment. 8-3t

DANCING

This evening and Saturday afternoon and evening at Wheeler hall.

LIMA CHAPTER 49, R. A. M.

Stated convocation this (Friday) evening. Annual election of officers.

W. J. SHEPHERD, H. P.
WALLACE LANDIS, Secy.

Fine Violins, Guitars, Banjos from $3 up, at Porter & Son's. Elegant things for Christmas.

A pretty calendar, a nice box of stationary, a nice picture make fine gifts See the line at the City Book Store. 8 2

Those French fruits at Stolzenbach's are excellent.

MOST QUIET

Place in Lima Today was the Court House.

Numerous Real Estate Transfers Made but "Nothing Doing" Otherwise.

Perhaps the most quiet place in the down town districts today was the county capital. Court has adjourned for the holidays and most people down town are busy getting rid of their money, making numerous Christmas purchases. In most of the court house offices there was literally "nothing doing."

May End It.

Attorneys Reeve & Lindeman were at Lima Wednesday, before Judge Cunningham in Common Pleas court, where a motion for a new trial in the case of Wm. H. Eusien against the Dayton Street Railway Company and the C. H. & D. Railway Company, was argued. Reeve & Lindeman represent the plaintiff and recently received a verdict in the sum of $8,000, with interest from the first day of September term of court. At the conclusion of the argument, the motion for a new trial was overruled by Judge Cunningham and judgment entered upon the verdict. This will probably be the ending of the case.—Delphos Herald.

Probate Matters.

In the matter of the estate of Tillie A. Roby, deceased, James O. Ohler was appointed administrator today.

Real Estate Transfers.

Clara J. Brotherton to T. Matilda Moore, 90 acres in Perry township, $1.00 etc.

Frank Cramer and wife to John Reigle, inlot No. 442 in Huber's second addition to the village of Bluffton, $60.

Wm. T. Agerter to J. R. McCullough, inlot 110 in Lakewood sub-division, $375.

J. Craig and wife to Jordon Craig, lot No. 9 in Craig's east addition to Lafayette, $10.

Albert C. Blain and wife to Mrs. E. J. Newland, lot 332 in the village of Harrod, $50.

Wm. T. Agerter to C. C. Bower, lot 138 in Lakewood sub-division, $250.

Wm. T. Agerter to Mary A. Robb, lot 5965 in Lakewood sub-division, $400.

Mary Mullen, guardian of James, Thomas P., John E., Mary and Joseph Mullen, to Robert P. Higginbothan, inlot 963 in Nichols' addition, $600.

Theo. H. Conderman to Daniel E. Simons, inlot 5810 in Conderman's addition, $550.

August Kettler to James Lewis, inlot 404 in Standiford's addition, $700.

Wm. T. Agerter to John W. Shannahan, lot in Lakeview addition, $250.

Wm. T. Agerter to John M. Musser, lot in same addition, $250.

Have your candy packed to order at Stolzenbach's. 8 4

WANTS, FOR RENT, LOST, FOR SALE, ETC.

LOST—$75.00 in paper money in small sack. Reward will be paid if returned to this office or Frank Keve, 841 west High street. 8-2t*

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Good fresh cow. Inquire at 519 east Findlay street. 7-3t*

FOR SALE—A good work mule: call at 671 north West street. 7-3t*

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms with board in a private family for two gentlemen or man and wife at 267 north West street. 47-tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Hand painted china at 506 east High street at prices ranging from 75 cents upward. Sale will begin Monday. Mrs. Frank Stilson. 4-6t

FOR SALE—Choice lot in class A, Lakewood addition. Inquire of C. H. Folsom. 7-tf.

FOR SALE—Lot 5423 in Park addition, one of the best lots in the addition. H. V. Chase, secretary Y. M. C. A. 53-tf

WANTED.

WANTED—Young man for traveling position; experience unnecessary; salary $50 month and expenses. Plough-Williams Co., Manhattan building, Chicago. 3t*

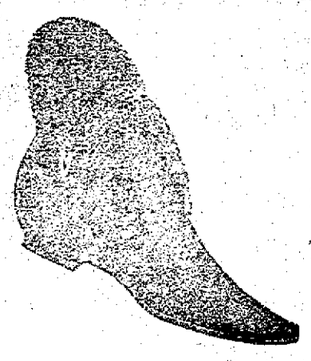
STORAGE ROOMS—For household goods of all kinds; dry and clean; reasonable price for space. Call at Columbia Shoe Store, new Black block. 5-3t

Christmas Shoes and Slippers.

MORE PEOPLE BUY SHOES AND SLIPPERS FOR CHRISTMAS GIFTS EVERY YEAR. THEY MAKE SUCH SUITABLE AND SENSIBLE PRESENTS. OUR STOCK IS LARGER AND BETTER THAN EVER. WE CAN GIVE YOU ANYTHING YOU MAY WANT IN

Shoes and Slippers

THIS CHRISTMAS. MEN'S SLIPPERS 48c TO $2.00. LADIES' SLIPPERS, all STYLES $1 TO $3.50. BOY'S AND GIRLS SLIPPERS 75 CENTS TO $1.25. RUBBER BOOTS FOR THE LITTLE BOYS.



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Store Open Evenings for Convenience of Christmas Shopping.

A Wide Difference

Now from the old style of Holiday shopping, when glitter and appearance run a race with senseless personal and household gifts. The people are growing wiser as the world grows older and now most everyone is looking for sensible, useful, lasting gifts. Our store is now fast depleting one of the finest holiday stocks in this line Lima has ever seen and if you have not gone into every department you have missed some suggestion that would make your Christmas shopping easier. Yes, our stock is growing less every day and we would suggest you come in the morning to avoid the crowds and have your leisure to get properly waited on. But in all the haste and crush of anxious buyers the usual

"Bluem Standard"

of promptness, excellence, style and moderate price is uppermost.

Souvenir Christmas Boxes.

All our silks, waist patterns, dress goods, hosiery, gloves and handkerchiefs, will be put up in handsome pyrographic, (burnt wood) boxes. These are lace lined and have the tone and style that a present should have and what better name on a Christmas box than "Bluem," the guarantee of style and quality.

Silks.

BLACK Peau-de-Sole one of the popular silks this season and a fast seller $1.00, 1.25, 1.50 a yard.

Taffeta, another favorite, 50c, 75c, $1.00, 1.25 a yard.

27-inch black satin, $1.00.

Black satin, Duchesse, $1.00 and 1.25 a yard.

Black Armure $1.25.

COLORED Peau-de-Sole in the staple and evening shades $1.00 a yard.

Taffeta, still another grand seller and in all colors, 50c, 75c and $1.00 a yard.

Waist Flannel.

Never in the history of this store has there been such sales and as many novelties offered as has been on our counters and we are still showing some beautiful things in silk stitched, striped and Persian patterns. No time to describe style now, prices only 75c and $1.00 a yard.

Flannelette.

A beautiful new cashmere effect with side band for trimming. Neat, handsome patterns, 17c a yard. Others at 10 and 12½c are worthy qualities.

Eiderdown

Always a popular fabric for comfort at this season of the year for dressing jackets, house coats, baby cloaks, baby coach robes, bath robes and a hundred things where warmth and comfort are required.

Plain 28, 40, 50, 75c a yard.

Ripple 40c a yard.

Handkerchiefs.

It would be folly even to attempt to give you an idea of the styles in any one priced line. The line must be seen to give any idea.

LADIES 5c each, plain hemstitched and colored borders and a wide range of patterns.

10c plain hemstitched, embroidered, lace edge and revered.

15c worthy grade that any one could carry with pride.

25c handsome patterns in 50 different styles.

Peasant made Swiss and Irish lace and linen lawn. The better grade are hand made goods. $1.50, $2, $2.50, $3, $4 to $6 each.

INITIAL in all letters.

Childrens, three in a box 25c a box.

Ladies' 15 and 25c each.

Men's 25 and 50c each.

MEN'S latest and this fall's patterns in colored borders, 5, 10, 12½ and 15c each.

White, hemstitched in all width hems, 5 and 10c cotton. 15, 20, 25 and 50 each, linen.

White or colored border, Jap silk, soft, neat qualities 25 and 50c each.

Handkerchief Centers.

If you want to make a beautiful handkerchief yourself we have the linen centers at 15 and 25c each and the lace in all widths and as fine as any hand made handkerchief would require.

Colgates Toilet Articles.

This make of toilet articles is so well known it is useless to describe quality or its delicate odors.

Perfumes 5c, 25c, 35c, 50c to $1.50 a bottle all odors.

Toilet waters in popular odors.

Vioris.

Lilac.

La France Rose.

Lavender Flower and others.

Honey Almond for rough or chappy hands or skin, 41c a bottle.

Florida Water, one of the oldest and most favorite perfumed waters 45c for a large bottle.

Sozodont 19c bottle.

Rubifoam 19c bottle.

Dr. Lyons tooth powder 19c.

Woodbury's soaps and toilet articles.

Toilet Soaps.

Cuticura.
Packers Tar.
Cashmere Bouquet.
Pears Unscented.

Fern Trays.

For a table decoration, nothing neater or dressier for the dining table, or sitting room. In silver metal open scroll designs and with a flower pot made properly for growing ferns $1.38 each.

Fern Columns.

Designes in relief in cameo patterns, gilt base and top for growing ferns $1.00 each.

Rose Glasses

Or bouquet holders. The base is a gilt figure holding a beautiful glass, tulip shape and very rich in appearance $1.00 each.

Photograph Frames.

Beautiful gilt frames with fancy metal corners 10c. Others in metal or plush at 40, 50 and 85c each. Gilt or silver metal.

Fairy Lamps.

These are in different colors and are to represent a wine glass and with a light in them have a beautiful, delicate, soft appearance, 15c each.

Jardiniers.

They were moving fast yesterday and why not, such prices are just half that a famous "Rockwood" ware is usually sold for.

49c, 75c and $1.00 each.

Lace Curtains.

Beautiful Nottingham curtains and reduced to close out two, three and four pairs of a pattern.

$1.50 a pair were $2, 2.25 and 2.49.

$2.50 a pair were $2.75.

All 3½ yards long and 45 to 60 inches wide.

Only 50 pairs in this lot so come early as lace curtains are popular Christmas gifts.

Pocket Books.

We carry the most extensive line of these goods in Lima and the leathers are most varied; grain, kid, seal, alligator and morroco. Prices range from 25c to $4.00 each.

Chatelain Bags.

In metal and a good substitute for cut steel, plain or oxidized 88c, $1.25, 1.50 to $4.50 each.

Cut steel bags suede lined and back at $3.50, 3.75, 5.00 and $6.50 each.

Leather with plain and oxidized silver clasps and big variety of shapes in all leathers 25c, 50, 75 to $1.50 each.

Hand Brushes.

A fortunate business transaction has given us a variety of shapes, all bristles, in these goods to sell at about half price, 25c each.

Hair Brushes.

Solid backs; ebony, maple or oak, 25c and 50c each.

Florodora Roll Combs.

A new comb to catch the stray locks.
Imitation shell 15c and 25c each.

Garters and Hose Supports.

Fancy lisle, in all colors, to "hook on" or "pin on," others to go around the waist, and fancy round garters with beautiful buckles. Put up one pair in a box, 25c a pair.

Linen Table Damask.

68-inch bleached, imported Damask, large variety of patterns, 85c yard.

72-inch bleached, double Damask, $1.00 a yard.

70-inch at $1.25 a yard.

Damask Table Sets.

Table Cloth and Napkins to match, bleached cloth, with Damask border on four sides of cloth. Imported and beautiful Belfast designs 2½ to 4 yard cloths, $6.50 to $15.00 aset, in handsome boxes; all the inbetween prices.

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ɜd for from the Council at Delphos.

Gas Company Wants to Take ɔld of Things and Makes a Proposition.

ɜe a surprise was sprung at the ng of the village council last ɜg, says a special from Delphos. Mr. Dailey, of Toledo, a repre- ɜve of the Kerlin Brothers, pre- ɜ two ordinances, one granting ɜetual franchise to the Consoli- Gas and Light Company, of To- for the right to use the streets, , etc., for the construction and ɜion of a gas plant, and the other the price of artificial gas for ɜ $1.10 per 1,000 cubic feet, and ɜating gas at $1.55 per 1,000 feet ɜerm of ten years. The Kerlins ɜought up the plants of the nat- ɜd artificial gas companies here, ɜs natural gas is becoming very ɜ, they intend manufacturing a ɜt for fuel and light. The fran- ɜnder which the company is now ɜing was given in 1889, and is a ɜual one. The company has ɜharging $2.50 a month for fuel ɜr one stove, in the winter, and ɜin the summer. The new fran- ɜordinance does not repeal the ɜe, hence it is still effective. The ɜny has been unable to furnish ɜnt gas in the winter months to ɜ the consumers, but to have the ɜage of the luxury, they kept on paying and did their kicking against the council for granting a perpetual franchise, so that practically the company could not be interfered with. Both ordinances were passed at the same meeting that they were presented, which raises a question of the legality of the franchise ordinance, it being generally understood that important measures of that sort should be read at three separate meetings.

MAYOR'S COURT.

One Man Fined—Wm. Hann Pleads Not Guilty.

William Hann, whom officer Hugh Patton brought back to this city from St. Marys yesterday to answer to a charge of having stolen some carpenter tools belonging to Joseph Cave, pleaded not guilty to the charge and has not yet had a hearing.

James McKennen, charged with drunkenness, was fined $5.60.

Eliza Doty, arrested for being intoxicated, was dismissed.

O—y—s—t—e—r—s at Townsend's.

TWICE A DAY.

All kinds of baked goods fresh every morning and evening at the Bowers Bakery. 8-3t

Stolzenbach is headquarters for Lowney's choice candies. 8 4

Fine Violins, Guitars, Banjos from $3 up, at Porter & Son's. Elegant things for Christmas.

FAIR MANAGERS

Will Meet at Bellefontaine Next Year.

T. B. Bowersock, Wm. Rusler, A. Harrod, George Fetter, Dr. Blattenberg, Aaron States, Wesley Wright returned last night from Findlay, after attending the Fair Managers' Association. The next meeting will be held in December, 1902 at Bellefontaine.

The old officers were all reelected. J. S. Stuckey, Van Wert, president; T. L. Calvert, Springfield, vice president, and A. P. Sandles, Ottawa, secretary and treasurer.

Why Do Crackers Get Stale?

It's as simple as A. B. C. The atmosphere contains moisture, which is an enemy to Crackers. Now you see why Crackers exposed to the air in a barrel or box get stale and grow musty. To overcome this, an inventor created the In-er-seal Patent Package, an ingenious combination of specially prepared cardboard and paper so peculiarly folded and securely sealed that it keeps out moisture and all kinds of badness. The In-er-seal Patent Package is used and controlled exclusively by the National Biscuit Co. to keep their products fresh and good. Fox's "Forex" Butter Crackers can be had in the In-er-seal Patent Package.

Good bananas 5c a dozen at the Candy Kitchen, s. w. cor. Square.

F—l—s—h at Townsend's.

JOINS

Official Family of the L. E. & W.

FormerOfficial

Of the "Q" Appointed General Sup't.

The Title is Restored and the Headquarters are Reopened.

C. H. & D. Boilermakers Kept Busy Visiting Outlaying Stations and Making the Usual Cold Weather Repairs.

A few days ago an Associated Press dispatch announced that K. S. Storrs, had resigned the position of a division superintendent on the C. B. & Q. railroad to accept the position of general superintendent of the Wheeling & Lake Erie road. Later information, however, is to the effect that Mr. Storrs will become general superintendent of the Lake Erie and Western, with headquarters at Indianapolis. If this latter statement is true, the office is to be renewed on the L. E. & W. After that road was purchased by the Vanderbilt interests the office of general superintendent, which was then occupied by D. S. Hill, was abolished and the jurisdiction of general superintendent Blodgett, of the Lake Shore, was extended over the L. E. & W. system.

It is this morning rumored in railroad circles that the new superintendent of the northern division of the Detroit Southern railroad to succeed J. R. Hawkins, resigned, will be Joseph W. Sherwood, formerly with the Big Four. Mr. Sherwood is an experienced railroad man and is spoken of as a hustler, whose connection with the Detroit Southern will benefit that road.

Traveling passenger agent Hicks and roadmaster Safford, the former of the Lake Erie and the latter of the Lake Shore, were in the city yesterday on business pertaining to their respective departments.—Ft. Wayne Sentinel.

C. H. & D. Notes.

Switch engine No. 88 was held in the round house today for repairs.

Passenger engine No. 201 was run out last night after having received light repairs.

Engine No. 9 is in the round house for a new set of flues.

The boilermakers are kept on the move, frequent trips to Piqua, Deshler, Findlay, North Baltimore and Tontogany being necessary.

The first Findlay, Ft. Wayne & Western engine to put in an appearance for repairs was received today.

The carpenters are building two new cabs that will be sent to Dayton for engines 354 and 268 that were damaged in a head-end collision recently. New tanks and tank frames are also being built for them.

Jake Braun went to Tontogany to do some repair work on engine 11.

PUTNAM

County After the Delphos Paper Mill.

Grand Jury Returns an Indictment Charging Pollution of Waters of the Auglaize.

The Hinde & Dauch Paper Company, of Delphos, has been indicted by the grand jury of Putnam county on the charge of polluting the waters of Jennings creek and the Auglaize river with filth and noxious matter from their mill. Foreman Harbrecht has been served with a summons, which is returnable Saturday, but the case will hardly come up then.

The Hinde & Dauch Paper Company has retained Attorneys Reeve & Lindemann to look after their interests in the case, which will probably come up in January. Foreman Harbrecht states that the waste water that they run into the Main street sewer and which empties into Jennings creek is nothing more nor less than lime water, a glass ful of which could be swallowed by a person at any time without injury. The mill discharges about 200,000 gallons of this water each day. They intend to contest the indictment.

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And every other conceivable article of well-made household furniture, with tables and shelves groaning under tons of

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With a large force of polite and obliging salesmen, you cannot find a better place in Lima to buy your Christmas gifts.

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Three Days in Which to Do All.

So near to Christmas that we can almost hear the Chimes, so near to Christmas that we begin to see the brightly lighted tree with its gift load, so near to Christmas that lips begin to frame the season's salutation—"Merry Christmas!"

Only three days left, but in these three days this Big Christmas Store expects to do favors for thousands. It's this splendid Christmas Store with its big stock which helps you out so ably in the eleventh hour.

Merchandise going out in wagon loads now, been coming in almost by the train load.

We'll help you through with the Christmas purchasing, belated buyer, most satisfactorily and very expeditiously.

The Great Christmas Sale of Books continues; thousands of books from these counters will go to help make a Merry Christmas, because they are the BEST BOOK Bargains ever offered in Lima.

"Ten Boys," from Dickens, handsome, large 250 page book, splendid binding, $1.25.

Flowers of the Field and Forest, by A. B. Hervey, with colored plates from water color drawings by Isaac Sprague, sold everywhere for $1.50, our price 98c.

The Old Farm, large, handsome illustrations, $1.25.

Waverly Novels, neat cloth binding, 48c each.

Whitcomb Riley's Love Lyrics and Child Rhymes, handsome cloth and gold binding, 89c.

Ridpath's History of the United States, 800 pages, 98c.

Louisa M. Alcott's Works, fine cloth and gold binding, regular price $1.50, our price $1.05.

White House Cook Book, 600 pages, worth $1.00, our price 69c.

Remarks by Bill Nye, 500 pages, cloth and gold binding, 49c.

Hawaii, Our New Possession, by John R. Musick, 500 pages, 57c.

Samantha in Europe, 700 pages, 89c.

Twenty years of hustling, by J. P. Johnston, 600 pages, 50c.

Soft cover Bibles, clear type, with maps, in colors and photo views of Bible lands, 98c.

International Bibles, $1.50 edition, our price, $1.09.

Holman's self-pronouncing teacher's Bible, with references and new copyright helps, $1.75.

5 volume sets works of popular authors, such as W. Clark Russell, The Duchess, Braeme, J. Fennimore Cooper, Henty and others, 75c the set.

Sets of 5 volumes, 12 mo. cloth binding, standard works, splendid value, $1.19 the set.

500 Children's Books, choice paper, splendid illustrations, sold everywhere for 50c, our Christmas price, 25c.

2000 12 mo. cloth bound books, all standard works, a splendid bargain, 10c each, 3 for 25c.

Big variety of cloth books for children, 5c each.

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Very handsome gift books, works of the world's greatest poets, fine leather binding, padded covers, beautifully decorated, 69c, 79c and $1.39.

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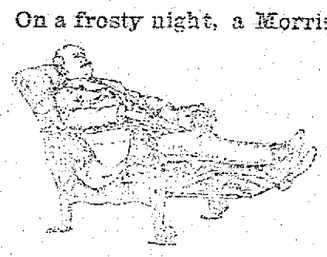

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TO MARRIED MEN. Our China closets, with the fine small glass ends, will delight your wives, who have so many fancy pieces of China with no place to store them.

NOW FOR THE HOLIDAYS!

Thoughts have now turned to that great gift-giving day—Christmas—which is only a few days away. We've been preparing for the Holiday Trade for weeks and weeks—brought the best here for you to select from---USEFUL ARTICLES AT PRICES THAT WILL TEMPT YOU. Never have selections been more beautiful. We urge early buying---the stocks are at their best now, and many of the finest fancies cannot be duplicated. For a Man's or a Boy's Christmas buy what he's going to buy for himself, if you don't, and buy it at a man's store. Here are a few of the things that gentlemen like:

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Neckwear, Collars, Cuffs, Gloves, Fancy Suspenders, Shirts, Night Robes, Bath Robes, Mufflers, Hosiery, Underwear and Umbrellas. We have just received a large line of the newest HATS. If you want the very latest in a hat come here for it.

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For the Christmas and New Year's Holiday excursion tickets will be sold between all stations on the Ohio Central lines. Excursion tickets will be on sale December 24, 25, and 31, 1901 and January 1, 1902, at rate of one and one-third fare for the round trip; tickets good to return until January 2, 1902.

On same dates excursion tickets will be sold to points on connecting lines with return limit the same. Call on agents of Ohio Central Lines for tickets and full particulars. d&w-tf

A KODAK

Makes a nice Xmas gift. We have a full line of Kodaks and supplies.
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This is the reason why the candies made only by the Lima Candy Manufacturing Co. are in such great demand. They make pure candies for the baby and for grandma, for the boys and girls, for papa and mamma; in fact for one and all. In the quality and flavor of their Christmas candies, they have eclipsed all their previous efforts.

Call and see the beautiful designs of their Christmas boxes, varying in price from 20 cents up.

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58-3t 202 North Main St.

Fancy French peas and canned mushrooms at Dimond Bros'. 7-2t

HOLIDAY EXCURSIONS.

For the Christmas and New Year Holidays, the Erie Railroad will sell excursion tickets to all points in Central Pasenger Association territory on December 24th, 25th, 31st, and January 1st, good returning until January 2nd. d&w to Dec 21 F. M. McCoy, agt.

Say "No" to the man who offers you a cheap substitute for Fox's "Forex" Butter Crackers. If you don't he wins and you lose. It costs less to make poor imitations.

Open evenings until Christmas. Columbia Shoe Store.

Good Canned Asparagus 15c at Dimond Bros'. 7-2

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More Matrimonial Venture

Was a Failure

And Courts are Asked to Interfere

And Sever the Bonds Which were Welded but Short Time Ago.

The Plaintiff Makes Rather Startling Allegations Against Her Liege Lord in Petition for a Divorce.

Sarah H. Allen has filed a petition in the court of common pleas asking that she may be granted a divorce from Alfred C. Allen, says the Auglaize County Democrat. The couple were married on the 15th day of September, 1901, at Cridersville, Ohio. No children have been born to them as the issue of said marriage. Sarah further says as grounds for divorce that Alfred has been guilty of extreme cruelty toward her in this: That he has repeatedly struck, beat and wounded her since their marriage at their home in Cridersville, and has threatened and attempted to kill her. That on the evening of December 6 the defendant did strike, beat, bruise and scratch plaintiff in the most cruel and shameful manner, and then and there did take a towel and place and twist the same around her neck and attempted to strangle her to death. That by reason of the facts aforesaid she has been compelled to flee from her home and remain away for her own safety and protection. That the said defendant is able and capable of, and does earn valuable wages.

The said plaintiff further avers that she is possessed of and is the owner of a homestead in the village of Cridersville which she acquired from a former husband; that Roscoe Sharp has some interest in said premises, which she asks that he be required to set up in this proceeding. That the defendant, Alfred C. Allen, now excludes plaintiff from her said premises and homestead, and threatens to and will so permanently exclude her therefrom and injure and dispose of her household goods and furniture and interfere with plaintiff's use and possession of her said homestead and household goods and furniture, and exclude plaintiff from possession and use thereof, unless he be enjoined by the court from the commission of said act, for which she has no adequate remedy at law.

Wherefore the plaintiff prays the court for a divorce from the defendant, and that she may be awarded and decreed reasonable alimony, and that during the pendency of this case the said defendant may be enjoined from excluding or attempting to exclude plaintiff from her said home or homestead or in any way interfering with her in her rightful possession of same, and that he may also be enjoined from disposing of or removing said household goods and furniture, or any part thereof. That she may be restored to her former name of Sarah H. Sharp, and for such other relief as is just and proper. Ridenour & Halfhill are her attorneys.

Remember, from now 'till Xmas, Georgi gives every purchaser a beautiful present free. You can buy two presents there for the price of one elsewhere. No. 204 south Main street. Open evenings. 7-2t

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HOLIDAY RATES.

The C. H. & D., and the L. E. & W., railways will make a round trip rate of one fare and one third to points in C. P. A. territory. Tickets on sale Dec., 24th, 25th, 31st, and Jan., 1st, 1902, good to return Jan., 2nd. 1902.

F. A. Burkhardt,
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Dimond Bros'. have the Oranges. 7-2t

The largest assortment of Domestic and Imported Cigars in allsize boxes for Christmas presents at Morrison's Cigar Co. 6-tf

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Our store open every evening 'till Xmas.

Disastrous Blaze.

Huntingdon, Pa., Dec. 20.—Fire destroyed the opera house block, including the stores of A. S. Mullin, dry goods; C. C. Read, druggist; E. V. Yoder, novelties; J. B. Port, confectioner, and the Acme department store. Loss $150,000; partly insured.

Cecil Had a Stroke.

London, Dec. 20.—A dispatch to the Central News from Cairo says Cecil Rhodes suffered from a heat stroke, has abandoned his trip to Khartoum and is hurrying back to Cairo.

Cotton Burned.

Terrell, Tex., Dec. 20.—Fire destroyed 2,000 bales of cotton stored in an old compress here. Loss $80,000.

MARKET REPORTS.

Grain and Stock Prices For Dec. 19.

CLEVELAND—Cattle: Good to choice dry fed steers, 1,200 lbs. and upwards, $5 25@5 50; good to choice dry fed steers, 1,050 to 1,150 lbs., $4 75@5 00; green half fat, 1,000 to 1,200 lbs., $4 25@4 50; green half fat, 900 to 1,000 lbs., $4 00@4 25; good to choice heifers, $4 25@4 60; fair to good heifers, $3 50@4 00; cows, common to choice, $2 00@3 50; bulls, good to choice, $3 00@3 75. Sheep and Lambs—Good to choice wether sheep, $3 40@3 60; fair to good mixed sheep, $3 00@3 25; culls and commons, $2 00@2 50; good to choice lambs, $5 10@5 25; fair to good, $4 75@5 00; culls and commons, $4 00@4 50. Calves—Good to best, $6 00@7 00. Hogs—Medions and heavies, $6 50@6 55; Yorkers, $6 55; pigs, $5 00@5 25.

CHICAGO—Cattle: Good to prime steers, $6 25@7 45; poor to medium, $3 75@5 90; stockers and feeders, $2 00@4 25; cows, $1 00@4 00; heifers, $1 50@5 25; canners, $1 00@2 00; bulls, $1 75@4 00; Texas fed steers, $4 00@5 25. Sheep and Lambs—Good to choice wethers, $3 75@4 50; fair to choice mixed, $2 75@3 40; western sheep, $3 00@4 25; native lambs, $3 50@5 50; western lambs, $4 25@5 00. Calves—$2 50@5 75. Hogs—Mixed and butchers, $5 80@6 50; good to choice heavy, $6 25@6 70; rough heavy, $5 90@6 10; light, $5 00@5 90. Wheat—No. 2 red, 80½@82c. Corn—No. 2, 66c. Oats—No. 2, 46½@46½c.

PITTSBURG—Cattle: Choice, $6 10@6 30; prime, $5 75@6 00; good, $5 25@5 60; tidy butchers, $4 70@5 10; fair, $4 10@4 60; heifers, $3 50@4 75; cows, stags and bulls, $2 00@4 25; fresh cows, $20 00@60 00. Sheep and Lambs—Choice sheep, $3 75@4 00; good, $3 25@3 60; fair, $2 75@3 10; lambs, $5 50@5 85. Hogs—Prime heavy, $6 45@6 55; heavy mediums, $6 25@6 35; light mediums, $6 15@6 20; heavy Yorkers, $6 05@6 10; light Yorkers, $5 70@5 85; pigs, $5 50@5 60.

BUFFALO—Cattle: Best heavy steers, $6 40@6 50; medium to good shipping, $5 75@6 25; others, $4 00@5 50; cows, $1 50@4 40; heifers, $3 25@4 00. Sheep and Lambs—Best lambs, $5 30@5 40; fair to good, $4 75@5 00; culls and common, $4 00@4 50; mixed sheep, $3 35@3 65; wethers and yearlings, $4 00@4 25; culls and bucks, $2 00@2 80. Calves—$6 50@7 50. Hogs—Pigs, $5 35; Yorkers, $5 90@6 10; mediums and heavy, $6 30@6 60.

COLUMBUS—Fruits and Vegetables—Jobbers' Selling Prices—Cabbage: York state, $1 00 per cwt. Celery—Ohio, $2 00@3 00 per case; California, $4 00. Cranberries—Per bbl., $7 50; per crate, $2 25@2 50. Grapes—Catawbas, 15c. Honey—24 sections, per lb., 17@18c. Potatoes—$1 00 per bu. Sweet Potatoes—$2 50 per bbl.; Jerseys, $3 75 per bbl. Onions—$3 75 per bbl.; Spanish, $1 75 per crate.

NEW YORK—Cattle: Steers, $4 00@6 25; oxen and stags, $4 00@5 00; bulls, $2 65@3 65; cows, $1 00@3 75. Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, $2 25@3 75; extra, $3 90; culls, $2 00; lambs, $4 50@6 05; culls, $3 00@4 00; Canada lambs, $5 30@6 00. Calves—Veals, $4 50@8 50. Hogs—State hogs, $6 25@6 40. Wheat—No. 2 red, 83c. Corn—No. 2, 70½c. Oats—No. 2, 51c.

CINCINNATI—Wheat: No. 2 red, 85½c. Corn—No. 2 mixed, 69c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 49½@50c. Rye—No. 2, 70c. Lard—$9 00. Bulk Meats—$8 72½. Bacon—$9 75. Hogs — $4 00@6 35. Cattle — $2 25@5 35. Sheep—$1 25@4 75. Lambs—$3 25@4 75.

BALTIMORE—Butter: Fancy creamery, 25@26c. Eggs—Fresh, 27@28c.

TOLEDO—Wheat, 85c; corn, 67½c; oats, 46c; cloverseed, $5 77½c.

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ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

Before F. E. Duffield, Justice of the Peace, Ottawa township, Allen county Ohio.

Wm. Pifer, plaintiff,
vs.
Barney Jones, defendant.

On the 8th day of November, 1901, said Justice of the Peace issued an order of attachment, in the above action, for the sum of eleven and 50-100 dollars ($11 50).

Lima, Ohio, Dec. 19, 1901.
Wm. PIFER,
58-6wks Plaintiff.

ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

Before F. E. Duffield, Justice of the Peace, Ottawa township, Allen county, Ohio.

J. F. Schilling, plaintiff,
vs.
John Walsh, defendant.

On the 30th day of November, 1901, said Justice of the Peace issued an order of attachment, in the above action, for the sum of two and 50-100 dollars ($2.50).

Lima, Ohio, Dec. 19, 1901.
J. F. SCHILLING,
58-6wks Plaintiff.

ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

Case No. 5395.
Docket 4. Page 45.

Anna E. Marmon
vs.
David Machan.

Before Wm. E. Reilly, Justice of the Peace, within and for Ottawa township, Allen county, Ohio.

The defendant will take notice that on the 26th day of November, A. D. 1901, said Justice issued an order of attachment in the above entitled action for the sum of $163.50 and that said attachment will be for hearing upon the 19th day of January, A. D. 1902, at 9 o'clock a. m., at his said office.

Lima, Ohio, Dec. 17, 1901.
ANNA E. MARMON.
MINER A. ATMUR, Atty.
57-3wks

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NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Citizens Loan and Building Co., of Lima, Ohio, will be held on Friday, January 17, 1902, at 7 p. m., for the election of directors and auditors, and such other business as may come before them.

L. A. FELTZ, Secy.
Lima, O., Dec. 17, 1901.
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THE NORTHERN OHIO RAILWAY COMPANY.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Northern Ohio Railway Company, for the election of directors and other general purposes, will be held at the office of The Lake Erie & Western Railroad Company, in Lima, Ohio, on Monday, January 13th, 1902.

The transfer books will be closed December 21st, 1901, at 12 o'clock noon, and will be reopened January 14th, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m.

CHARLES F. COX, Secretary.
dec 13-4wks.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 10748.
Ex. Doc. 14. Page 18.
The Indemnity Savings & Loan Co., Plaintiff
vs.
Jacob F. Shook, et al., Defendant.
Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the court of common pleas of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

Saturday, December 21, 1901,

Between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situated in the city of Lima, Allen county, state of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Inlot number nineteen hundred and eight (1908) in John Reece's addition to the city of Lima, Ohio, except one hundred and ten (110) feet off of the east end of said lot; being a lot of land fronting fifty (50) feet on Reece avenue and extending east one hundred and eighteen (118) feet to an alley, and being house number 923 and 925 Reece avenue.

Appraised at $800.00.
Terms of sale: Cash.

E. A. BOGART,
Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio.
Lima, Ohio, November 15, 1901.
Copeland & Rogers, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

Before F. E. Duffield, Justice of the Peace, Ottawa township, Allen county, Ohio.

E. W. Price, plaintiff,
vs.
The Elliott & Hatch Book-Type-Writer Co., defendant.

On the 2d day of December A. D. 1901, said Justice of the Peace issued an order of attachment, in the above action, for the sum of thirty-five ($35.00) dollars.

Lima, O., Dec. 7th, 1901.
E. W. PRICE.
By Becker & Becker, his attorneys.
46-3wks.

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Pacific Express, daily, for ago and the West.......... 1:12 a m
Express, daily, except Sun- for Chicago and the West 9:10 a m
Wells-Fargo Limited Ex- daily, except Monday.. ... 3:59 p m
TRAINS EAST.
Vestibule Limited daily, New York and Boston..... 9:02 p m
Express, daily, except Sun- .... 8:24 p m
Express, daily for New .... 5:41 a m
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South Bound.

Departs.
Daily .... 2:10 a m
Daily except Sunday .... 5:30 a m
daily except Sunday ..... 8:56 a m
Daily ....12:41 p m
Daily .... 4:20 p m
Daily .... 6:00 p m
Sunday only .... 6:50 a m
Daily, except Sunday, Arr. 7:45 p m
Sunday only, arrives.....11:50 p m

North Bound.

Departs.
Daily .... 2:35 a m
daily except Sunday........ 5:30 a m
daily except Sunday ..... 8:08 a m
Daily ....11:57 a m
Daily except Sunday..... 4:35 p m
Sunday only .... 7:43 a m
Daily except Sunday, Arr. 9:00 p m
Sunday only, Arr.........9:55 p m
Sunday only, leaves.......6:15 a m

L. E. & W. RAILROAD.

East Bound—Leaving Time.

Eastern Express, daily.....8:11 p m
N. Y. and Boston Lim'td, ex- Sunday ....1:42 p m
Cleveland and Buffalo Fast except Sunday............8:15 a m

West Bound—Leaving Time.

N. Y., Kansas City and r Lim'td, daily ....9:47 a m
Toledo and St. Louis Ex- except Sunday ....3:50 a m
N. Y., Cleveland and In- polis Express, except Sun- ....4:38 p m
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EAST BOUND.

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Alliance, daily except nday..................... 1:37 p. m.
York special, daily...... 5:57 p. m.
Express, daily............ 9:30 p. m.
ted Express, daily......... 10:48 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

ago and west daily........ 2:00 a. m.
ted Express, daily........ 2:30 a. m.
ago Special, daily.......... 8:25 a. m.
ago and west, daily ex- t Sunday.................. 9:40 a. m.
ago and west daily........ 3:25 p. m.
Wayne accommodation ly except Sunday......... 8:20 p. m.

C. L. & M. RAILROAD.

No. 2 P. M.
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03..... *Miller ....
05..... *Mentley ....
07.... Southerton ......Lv 4:06
09..... Rice ....Lv 4:00
14... Continental (2)...Lv 3:45
..... Continental (2)...Ar 3:15
18..... *Leon ....
20.. Dormington (3)...Lv. 2:55
20.. Dormington (3)....Ar 2:45
22....... Kalida ....Lv 2:35
22....... Kalida ....Ar 3:20
27...... *Seitz ....
29... Jones City (4)....Lv 1:50
32.... Gomer ....Lv 1:30
38..... *Pogue ....
40... North Lima (5)...Lv 1:30
41... C. H. & D. Xg. (5)..Lv 1:25

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effect Sunday, December 15th, the of time of passenger trains at Lima ows:

Going South.

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Going North.

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Lima Operators Hasten to the Scene and Scramble for Leases—News from Beaumont and Other Fields.

Delphos, O., Dec. 19.—Walkup & Lytle, drilling in a well on the Grothouse lease, south of this town had to cease work today on account of the flow of oil, which at intervals raised above the top of the derrick and prevented the tools from making any readway, after reaching a depth of 45 feet in the sand. The well has been tubed and put to pumping, and when the supply settles down it will be drilled deeper and shot, if necessary. It is the best showing well that has ever been drilled in that vicinity. News of the strike was telephoned to Lima, and oil men from that place arrived here on the evening train to go after leases in the neighborhood.

Shipments From Beaumont.

The shipments of Beaumont oil for Thursday, December 12, were 149 cars, which aggregate 23,106 barrels, says the Derrick. This is the largest day on record. The total for the first 12 days of the month was 187,274 barrels, or an average of 15,606 barrels a day. These are very encouraging figures and show that the demand for fuel oil will constantly increase as consumers come to have more confidence in the continuity of the supply.

Trying to Explain It.

Says a New York dispatch: Oil interests in this city agree that the sudden cut of 15 cents a barrel on high-grade crude oil during the last week, made by the Standard Oil Co., is caused by the foreign situation. Samuel Q. Brown, president of the Tidewater Oil Co., No. 12 Broadway, said that the necessity of getting rid of the enormous surplus of refined oil and the improved facilities for reaching the European markets had resulted in concessions in regard to prices, which are behind the recent drop in American oil.

The Russian oil industry has been demoralized for several months and heavy stocks of refined oil have accumulated. Large quantities of this surplus found a market in Europe, coming in direct competition with the American product. Germany has also been encouraging the consumption of Russian oil by discriminations against the American article. The possibilities of the Texas oil fields have exercised a sort of reflex action upon the Russian trade, which in turn has affected our home product. William Rockefeller said that it was probably true that the recent reduction in prices was due to the Standard's desire to get rid of more oil that had been held for higher prices, because field operations had not kept up with the demand for the finished product. He made no comment on the situation, however.

At the offices of the Columbia Oil Co., of New York, it is said today that the season was now practically over; that the Standard Co. had probably begun to realize that there were other oil fields than those of Pennsylvania, and that the foreign situation was undoubtedly at the bottom of the recent reduction. The recent reduction in quotations is on credit balances, by which is meant the price the company will allow the producers for oil.

Operations at Findlay.

A number of wells are about to be completed in the South Marion township field. T. C. Kelly has three wells which will be finished, barring accident, within the next few days, says the Findlay Republican. One of the wells is on the Riddlebaugh farm, another on the Bright lease, and the third on the J. W. Jacobs farm. The well on the Major Bright farm is in the sand with a good showing. The other wells will be in the sand the first part of the week. Well No.2 on the McHill farm operated by Bright, Manecke & Gardner is good for 100 barrels. The same operators are getting in stuff for a new well on the Crouse farm in Biglick township. It will offset T. C. Kelly's No. 3 on the Henry Davis farm. T. C. Kelly's No. 1 on the Major Bright farm in Marion township is doing about a tank a week.

Pogue & Bicknell are putting up a rig for a new well on the old William Marvin farm five miles west of the city in Marion township. The farm is now owned by Charles Jordan and Col. Moores. It is situated on the banks of the Blanchard river and is a trifle out of the oil belt. Seven years ago Carey Harris had a lease on the Marvin farm along with 7,000 acres of other leases in Marion and Jackson townships. He drilled thirteen wells on the holdings, but not one of the holes showed oil. The only favorable indication was the striking of a few small gas wells.

The citizens' Gas Plant and Coke company shot a well on the Grable farm in Marion township Saturday. It showed up for 200,000 cubic feet and a 300 pound rock pressure. The same company has completed a gas well on the Wilson farm in Marion township which showed a gauge of 500,000 feet. The rock pressure was however, very low.

Carey Harris has returned from the Kentuckey oil field. In the opinion of Mr. Harris the Blue Grass state has a great future before it. He saw a number of the wells which have been reported to be making large quantities of oil and found the account to be true in every instance. Mr. Harris reports that the operators who have entered Kentucky have the means and experience to develop the country.

In Local Territory.

McCambridge, Brownyar & Co.'s well on the Simon Good, west of Elida, after being put to pumping made 60 barrels the first 24 hours.

Spellacy, Sibbie & Sheridan have finished a well on the Ward farm, Bath township, that made 80 barrels. They are ready to case on the Mason and are rig building for No. 5, Gray.

There is not much doing around Bluffton. The wells that have been recently completed have not been very encouraging for a large pool.

The Ohio Oil Company's No. 3 on the Brunck farm, west of Elida, is a wonder. After flowing through the casing for two weeks it was tubed and put to pumping, starting off at a 300-barrel gait.

Gallespie's well on the Victor Good farm, section 35, Ridge township, Van Wert county, has produced over 290 barrels a day. Being north of the Venedocia developments it has caused a scramble for leases.

Holiday slippers in an endless assortment for men, women and children at the Columbia Shoe Store.

A lazy liver makes a lazy man. Burdock Blood Bitters is the natural, never failing remedy for a lazy liver.

A camera for Xmas would be not only a fund of amusement but a source of instruction for young people. LeRoy H. Hume, Masonic building. 9-tf

Ordinary household accidents have no terrors when there's a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the medicine chest. Heals burns, cuts, bruises, sprains. Instant relief.

$1.48 buys a fine pair of gentlemens' slippers at the Columbia.

Fine mixed candy at 7 cents a pound at Arndt's store, 814 south Main street. 7-3t

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Get mixed nuts at Dimond Bros'. they handle the best. 7-2t

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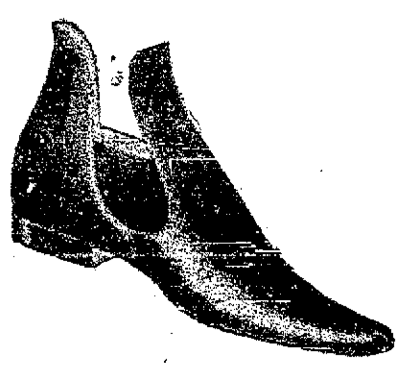
Nothing you can give your husband, brother or sweetheart will prove of greater satisfaction to him than a pair of these pretty and comfortable Slippers. Imagine his pleasure in finding a nice easy pair of Slippers ready for him as he comes home from his business all tired and worn out.



This is a beautiful and comfortable Nullifier, made up in the best style, and can be had in either black or tan, for

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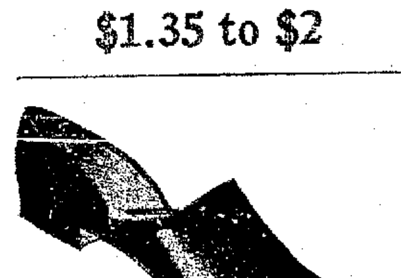

One of the most comfortable Slippers in stock, a man's opera slipper in three colors for

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A nicely made black velvet house slipper, with beautiful embroidery work for

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Stiff and soft bosoms, white and fancy, plain and pleated, made from good reliable materials and first-class workmanship.

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Plain and fancy, to suit all tastes—pure wool underwear. If you don't want the wool pulled over your eyes, Mercerized Underwear, Balbriggan and various mixtures of wool and cotton, as well as fleeces.

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EVERY ARTICLE OF FURNISHING GOODS that man or boy can, will or may want, and will make useful presents for Christmas.

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For Appearance in January.

Mrs. Watkins

Is Returned to Jail at Paulding.

Could Not Furnish Bail in the Sum of One Thousand Dollars.

Testimony Showed She Had Received Five Dollars from the Shaffers for Each Patient She Sent Them.

Mrs. Sallie Watkins, of this city, who was arrested here about ten days ago and taken to Paulding, Ohio, to answer to the charge of being an accessory to the Antwerp crime, which cost an unfortunate Allen county girl her life, was given a preliminary trial yesterday at Paulding and the hearing resulted in her being returned to jail to await the session of the next grand jury, which will meet in January. Concerning the hearing a dispatch from Paulding to the Toledo Bee, dated yesterday says:

"Sally Watkins, the clairvoyant, of Lima, charged with abetting the criminal operation performed at Antwerp was arraigned before Justice Stumm at 9 o'clock this morning accompanied by her son, Charles Regau, of Lima.

"Attorney C. F. Sprague, of Lima, assisted by J. C. Heaton conducted the defense; Prosecutor Zuber and Attorney Donart, for the state. The prisoner was cool and attentive, but emphatically approving or denying the evidence as it was presented by continually nodding or shaking her head. The evidence made a well-connected story that the prisoner met the girl, took them to Fort Wayne, introduced them to Mrs. Shaffer, received a fee of $5 each for her work and was rewarded by the people she was sending them to. Court held prisoner under $1,000 bond for her appearance at the January term of court. Bail not being furnished she was sent to jail."

HAWKENS CUT GLASS
At Basinger & Cameron's. 7-3t

THE SICK.

Encouraging News from Several Patients.

Lieut. of police Phil Goebel, who underwent a surgical operation a few days ago, is steadily improving and will probably be able to be about again soon.

Glenn Shook, the son of officer J. L. Shook, who was so badly injured in an elevator accident in the Holmes block several days ago, is still at the city hospital and is reported to be slightly improved.

Former city detective Charles Roney, who has been critically ill for some time, was today, reported slightly improved.

The young son of policeman I. M. Armstrong, a typhoid fever patient, is convalescent.

WHAT TOWNSEND HAS.

Turtles, Rabbits, Turkeys, Ducks, Chickens.
Fish, Choice Meats, Oysters, Backbones, Tenderloins, Home made Mince Meat, Lettuce, Celery.
Fruit, Radishes, Nuts, 14 kinds of imported and domestic cheese.

St. Paul's Lutheran church will give their annual supper Saturday evening, in the court house. Supper 25c. 8-2t

SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY.
French burnt peanuts 8c a pound. The Candy Kitchen, s. w. cor. Public Square.

TWO BUSINESS ROOMS
For rent with living apartments and one basement barber shop room, corner Wayne and Union streets.
1t* A. G. LUTZ.

If you want the finest box of candy, get one of Stolzenbach's. 8 4

PERSONAL MENTION.

L. H. Beall, Jr., arrived here from the Denison University today, to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Beall, of 223 St. Johns avenue.

Miss Lee Lufkin is spending the holidays in the city with Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey F. Lufkin.

PERSONALS

Miss Carrie Jones left today for Hartford, Indiana to spend a week with her brother, Mr. Joseph Jones.

Leon Laney, who is attending school in Boston, returned Sunday for the holidays.

Miss Edna Lowe and Miss Ruth Wheeler return tomorrow from Knoxville, Ill., where they have been attending St. Marys college.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stagman and family, of south Collet street, leave Sunday for Cincinnati for a ten days visit with relatives.

Miss Lee Lufkin, of New York, is home for the holidays and Mr. and Mrs. Elgood Lufkin and children and Florence will arrive on Monday, all to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Lufkin, of west Market street.

Miss Mary Gray is home from St. Vincent Academy at Cincinnati.

Mr. Barry Townsend will return from Mt. Clair Military Academy, at Mt. Clair, New Jersey, Sunday morning.

Miss Susan Humpston, who is directress of music in the St. Marys college at Fairbault, Minn., is home for the holidays.

Miss Nano Golley, tomorrow returns from St. Marys college at South Bend, Ind.

Virginia, the little daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Walter N. Boyer, is quite ill.

Mr. George Taylor is home from Adelbert college at Cleveland, for the holidays.

Master Walton Thomson, who has been attending school at Black Hall, Mass., came home yesterday for the holidays.

Holmes Mackenzie, who attends the Lawrenceville, New Jersey, school, is home for Christmas and New Years.

Miss Vera Watson, who has been in Chicago, studying music, is home for Christmas.

Van Cleve Holmes is home from Amherst college for his vacation.

Miss Madge Ewing, who attends the Walnut Lane Seminary, at Germantown, Pa., is home for the holidays.

Mr. Warren McLaughlin, who has been attending Columbia college, returned home today, accompanied by Mr. Jesse Mellin, who is one of the professors at Orchard Lake Seminary.

Mr. Thomas McLaughlin returned today from Hamilton college, New York state.

Miss May Argue and Miss Edith Argue returned today from Bradford, Mass., where they have been attending college.

Mr. Walter Morris is home from Kenyon college for Christmas and New Years.

Mr. Walter Jackson, of south Main street, is home from Kenyon college, for the holidays.

Miss Esther Wheeler arrived home today from Cleveland, where she has been attending Miss Muddleburger's school.

Miss Edna Wells, of St. Marys, is a guest of the Robbins family on Second street.

Clint Robbins and the Misses Flossie and Nettie Harter, of 413 Second street, left today for a visit at Komo, Ind.

LOCAL

Talent Will Sing at Cleveland Eisteddfod.

The Cleveland Eisteddfod, to be held in Gray's Armory on the morning, afternoon and evening of Christmas day, promises to be even more successful than the one held in the same place three years ago. The program is exceptionally fine and the number of competitors greater than ever. The choral competitons will be especially fine. Choruses, mixed, male, female and juvenile, are going from this city, New Castle, Pa., Cincinnati, Columbus, Ada and Painesville in Ohio, and the famous Metowee Glee Club of West Pawlet, Vt., will be on hand to try for the male chorus prize. The result will probably be the finest lot of choral singing ever heard in Ohio.

Stolzenbach always leads in fine box candies. 8 4

The train in Michael's window which was in the repair shop a few days is now running again.

Good bananas 5c a dozen at the Candy Kitchen, s. w. cor. Square.

All the latest books and a big assortment at the City Book Store. 8 2

The Crowds Find What They Want In Christmas Goods At FELDMANN'S

Here you see the most popular FURS—the greatest line of UMBRELLAS—by far the choicest collection of HANDKERCHIEFS—Beautiful NECKWEAR NOVELTIES—Excellent HOSIERY and GLOVES--Handsome BEAD BAGS, POCKET BOOKS and CHATELAINS---Pretty FANS and FANCY APRONS---Fancy PIN CUSHIONS and PILLOWS---PERFUMERY and JEWELRY NOVELTIES--Rich SILK WAISTS, DRESS SKIRTS and PETTICOATS---Original Novelties in Fancy BRIC-A-BRAC.

ALL AT POPULAR PRICES.

You can fill your holiday list more easily and satisfactorily at this store than elsewhere.---Every department is at its best.

Christmas is Drawing Nearer and Nearer.

THE GIFT BUYERS ARE BECOMING THICKER AND THICKER.

Procrastination will cause you more and more inconvenience as the time for doing your Holiday shopping shortens. During your tour among the stores, for your sake as well as ours, don't forget to visit this store. Within its four walls are contained an enormous stock of goods, especially for the Holiday trade.

Useful Xmas Gifts. | Everything Useful for Man, Boy or Child.

Smoking Jackets

BUY HERE OR PAY more elsewhere.

Two toned effects in pretty styles at $5.00.

SWELL JACKETS that were formerly $10, now $8.00.

VERY PRETTY COATS that include our very best grade, nothing better in Lima at $10.00.

Bath Robes.

These useful articles are getting more popular each year. Our designs are all imported and you should beware of many immitations that are offered.

The genuine blanket flannel bath robes with cord and tassel at $5.00.

Finer quality at $7.50.

Mufflers or Neck Protectors.

Give a man or lady a muffler and they appreciate it. They are being more extensively worn now than heretofore.

Way's mufflers, the kind that fasten around the neck, 50c, 75c and $1.00.

Square mufflers, white, black and colored, 25c, 50c and $1.00.

Harvard mufflers quilted at 50c.

Swell massive silk mufflers, folded in pleats at 75c, $1.00 and $1.50.

Long silk scarfs, very swell at $2.00.

Christmas Sale of Men's Fine Overcoats.

We herewith mention five numbers, great values, especially for Christmas buyers.

Men's Oxford gray long overcoats, style and make exactly like the higher priced garments, warranted all wool at $10.00.

Men's perfectly tailored yoke overcoats, fine in quality, excellent quality of dark Oxford cloth, peaked lapels, new style pockets at $15.00.

Men's fine green frieze overcoats, a very swell shade, made in the latest Fullmore pattern, long and full, hang very gracefully and superbly tailored at $18.00.

Men's very fine quality freize and vienna yoke overcoats, the swellest appearing garments ever offered in Lima, you'll bear us out in this assertion at $20.00.

Men's very finest cloth overcoats, entirely lined with heavy silk, only equalled by the $50 and $60 made to order coats at $25.00.

Presents for The Children.

Suits from $1.50 to $7.50.

Overcoats from $2.50 to $12.00.

Caps from 25c to $1.00.

Sweaters at 50c, 89c, $1.25.

Kid and wool gloves at 25c and 50c.

Children's waists at 50c.

Little suspenders at 10c, 15c and 25c.

Suit Cases and Traveling Bags.

These make very appropriate gifts as they make an almost everlasting impression.

Traveling bags from 75c to $12.00.

Dress suit cases from $2.50 to $15.00.

The Fitzgerald bag is the bag if you want to make a luxurious gift. Suit case and traveling bag combined Two sections, two locks, two keys. Price $20.00.

Neckwear.

You never saw so many pretty ties as are here this year. Quality fine and DESIGNS of UNUSUAL BEAUTY.

Swell puffs one in a box at 50c.

Handsome tuck ties for the men who dislike to make their own ties, one in a box at 75c.

Beautiful English squares on pretty and heavy silks, can be tied in several different shapes at $1.00.

An immense variety of string ties, tecks, 4-in-hand and imperials at 25c and 50c.

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You can realize how useful suspenders are to a man. Well these are just as pretty as they are useful. Every pair has a double charm. Most of them come one pair in a box, 50c, 69c, $1.00 and $1.50.

Handkerchiefs.

Of these you'll find all sorts here, linen, silk and other varieties.

Silk handkerchiefs, 25c, 50c, 75c and $1.00.

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"DENTS" and "ADLER'S."

Kid dress gloves at 50c, $1.00, $1.50 and $2.50.

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STEAMER

nges Over a Lock in the Kanawha and is Totally Wrecked.

ght Men on Board Drowned.

ious Current Wrested the Vessel from the Pilot's Control. Victims were Deck-hands. Chapter of a Day's Accidents in States.

loston, W. Va., Dec. 20.—The Kanawha Belle, which runs n Charleston and Montgomery, ver Lock No. 5, at Paint Creek, down trip, broke in two and is wreck. Eight of the crew, all nds and roustabouts, were d. All of the officers of the ere saved, but some of them row escapes. The sunken boat ned by the Calvert Brothers. er has been up for several days ere was a furious current at the nd the pilot was unable to con- e boat on approaching the lock. alvert, another boat owned by verts, went to the rescue of the re and brought them here.

dead: Sam Hawkins, Sam Dave Anderson, Birney Light- hannon, Charles Viney, Bud and st names unknown). All were deckhands and roustabouts. artin, a passenger on the boat, cued from the water by the crew, but died from fright on to this city. An eye witness disaster says the boat steamed to the dam and went over to tion. Information from the crew is to the effect that the pilot, Snyder, was at supper fore the lock and dam was l; that he entered the pilot to relieve the substitute pilot at he became bewildered and t the boat was going the other The steamer was valued at $10,- was not insured. The owners boat reside here.

Dozen Men Roasted.

burg, Dec. 20.—By an explo- gas in the Soho furnace of Laughlin ten men were burn- death and a number of others ore or less injured, several per- tally. The damage to the plant will amount to $20,000. The explosion occurred in one of the big blast furnaces. The men were at work at the top of the furnace, over 120 feet from the ground. They were employed as fillers, and were just getting ready to quit work, being members of the night crew, when the gas, which accumulated in the furnace, exploded, and tons of molten metal, cinders and slag were thrown over the unfortunate men on the top of the structure.

Coach Left the Track.

Sharon, Pa., Dec. 20.—An accident occurred on the Pittsburg, Bessemer and Lake Erie railroad by which a dozen passengers were more or less injured, none, however, fatally. The accident occurred at Houston Junction, a short distance from Moyer. All the coaches on the train passed safely over the switch except one, a day coach. It jumped the rails, jolted over the ties a short distance and then turned completely over, rolling against a locomotive that was standing on a side track.

Frightful Fall.

Charlotte, N. C., Dec. 20.—Ross Russell, a young white man employed at the Union copper mine at Gold Hill, was knocked out of the bucket, in which he was coming from the shaft at the end of his work, falling 500 feet to the bottom. His body was brought up shortly afterward a mass of jelly.

Tragedy Attends a Belling.

Chillicothe, O., Dec. 20. — At Bert Fox's home near here a crowd was belling him in celebration of his marriage when Ray Miller, 13, accidentally shot David Daugherty in the back with a shotgun, instantly killing him. Dougherty leaves a wife and three children.

SLAYER

Of Policeman Crum is Executed.

Rube Quinn Hanged at Danville, Ry., Today.

Was Proprietor of a "Blind Tiger" and Killed an Officer Who was Endeavoring to Serve a Warrant on Him.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Danville, Ky., Dec. 20.—Reuben Quinn was executed this morning for the murder of policeman John T. Crum. He was pronounced dead in seven minutes. Quinn operated a "Blind Tiger" saloon and was a dangerous man. While Crum was attempting to serve a warrant for Quinn's arrest, he was shot to death. Before the trial was concluded Quinn confessed and said he killed the officer after the latter had drawn a knife on him.

FRIGHTFUL

Experience of a Young Colored Lad.

Laid in an Old Barn Four Days Without Food,

Then Crawled a Mile and a Half on Knees and Elbows With Both Feet and Hands and Forearms Frozen.

Special by Wire to Times-Democrat.

Chagrin Falls, Dec. 20.—Mrs. Wm. Johnson found a colored boy lying on her doorstep yesterday. He gave his name as Joe Kelley, of Niles, O. Both of his arms were frozen to the elbows and both legs from his feet to his knees. Saturday night the boy became sick while going along the road. He crawled into an old barn where he lay during the zero weather, without food, until Thursday, when he crawled on his knees and elbows to the home of Mrs. Johnson, a mile and a half distant.

POISON

Was Not Given Rathbun's Alleged Victim.

Special by Wire to Times-Democrat.

Jeffersonville, Ind., Dec. 20.—The testimony in the Rathbun murder trial introduced today tends to show that poison was not administered to Goodman. Chloroform, however, may have been the cause of death.

Grain and Pork.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Chicago, Dec. 20.—Closing May wheat 80¼; corn 66⅞; oats 45; pork 16.72.

SOBS

Shook the Form of the Prophet

When He Told

How His Confidence Had Been Shaken

By His Brother-in-law, the Plaintiff in the Legal Action.

"Dr." John Alexander Dowie, of Zion Fame, Has Troubles on Hands as a Result of His Lace Industry.

Chicago, Dec. 20.—"Dr." John Alexander Dowie, the proclaimed "Elijah the Restorer," broke down when he went on the witness stand in his own behalf, and between choking sobs told how his confidence in his brother-in-law and legal opponent, Samuel Stevenson, had been shaken. Later, as he was cross-examined, his meek and lowly demeanor changed, and he denounced Stevenson, called him an "abominable traveling companion," and said that he was of no use in "Zion" and was always blundering.

The testimony offered by Dowie was to the effect that he had given Stevenson the checks, aggregating $50,000, ostensibly to release certain indebtedness between them. The checks were exhibited in court and showed indorsements by Mary Ann Stevenson for stock in Zion lace industries. Dowie went into great detail to show how his stock had accidentally come back into his possession. Dowie set down as "nonsense" the charge that by "honeyed words" or "artifice" he had inveigled Stevenson to come to America to take charge of the lace industries, and denied that he had used any power whatever to that end.

VALUABLE

Registered Packages Stolen Last Night.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Memphis, Tenn., Dec. 20.—A mail pouch, containing registered packages, was stolen while in transit from the Illinois Central depot to the post office at a late hour last night. The registered packages were put on at Jackson Miss., and were estimated to contain between $1,000 and $5,000.

THE DETROIT SOUTHERN R. R.

Will run special excursion train to Springfield, Sunday, Dec. 22d, leaving Lima at 8:00 a. m., arriving at Springfield at 10:20 a. m. Returning, train will leave Springfield at 11:45 p. m. Only $1.00 for the round trip.

8-2t G. E. ROBINSON, Agent.

PROTEST

Of Admiral Sampson is Presented,

Asking That Dewey's Report be Set Aside.

Main Contention is That Question of Who was in Supreme Command During Battle was Not Raised.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Washington, Dec. 20. — Admiral Sampson's attorneys this morning presented to the secretary of the navy, their formal protest against Admiral Dewey's minority report. The protest is brief. The main contention is that the question of who was in supreme command during the battle of Santiago, was not raised in the precept convening the court, that Admiral Sampson was not allowed to present any testimony in his behalf on this point and that therefore it could not properly be made a subject of the finding by either the majority or minority of the court. Accordingly Secretary Long is asked to rule out the minority report made by Admiral Dewey.

General Alger Quite Ill.

Detroit, Dec. 20.—General R. A. Alger, formerly secretary of war, is suffering from a severe attack of gall-stones. A consultation of physicians was held at his residence and it was decided that unless General Alger should decidedly improve an operation would soon be performed on him to relieve the trouble. Asked whether General Alger was in a dangerous condition, his physician replied: "He is in a critical condition, but I do not think it should be called dangerous at present."

Was a Mistake.

City of Mexico, Dec. 20.—Harry H. Fleischmann was arrested at Leon, in the state of Guanajuato, by mistake, the supposition being that he was the alleged Los Angeles bank defaulter by that name. He was released after 20 hours when his identity was fully established. The whole affair proved an error.

Chile and Argentine.

Buenos Ayres, Dec. 20.—There is no change in the international situation. The Tribuna says that in order to effect the re-establishment of tranquillity between Argentina and Chile, the latter must renounce her belligerent attitude.

A COMMON TROUBLE.

Thousands Suffer From it Without Knowing its Real Character.

No trouble is more common or more misunderstood than nervous dyspepsia. People having it think that their nerves are to blame, are surprised that they are not cured by nerve medicines and spring remedies; the real seat of the mischief is lost sight of; the stomach is the organ to be looked after.

Nervous dyspeptics often do not have any pain whatever in the stomach, nor perhaps any of the usual symptoms of stomach weakness. Nervous dyspepsia shows itself not in the stomach so much as in nearly every other organ; in some cases the heart palpitates and is irregular; in others, the kidneys are affected; in others, the bowels are troubled, with loss of flesh and appetite, with the accumulation of gas, sour risings and heartburn.

Mr. A. W. Sharper of No. 61 Prospect street, Indianapolis, Ind., writes as follows: "A motive of pure gratitude prompts me to write these few lines regarding the new and valuable medicine, Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. I have been a sufferer from nervous dyspepsia for the last four years; have used various patent medicines and other remedies without any favorable result. They sometimes give temporary relief until the effects of the medicine wears off. I attributed this to my sedentary habit, being a bookkeeper with little physical exercise, but I am glad to state that the tablets have overcome all these obstacles, for I have gained in flesh, sleep better and am better in every way. The above is written not for notoriety, but is based on actual facts."

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CHAFFEE

Has No Confidence in the Filipinos as a Race of People

Or Their Professed Loyalty.

He Declares That Deception Exists Everywhere and Denounces the Whole Native People of the Archipelago as Traitors to United States.

Washington, Dec. 20.—"History affords no parallel of a whole people thus practically turning war traitors and in the genius of no other people was ever found such masterful powers of secrecy and dissimulation; but it is needless to say that no powerful state was ever erected or ever can be erected on such immoral and unenlightened foundations." This statement is made by General Chaffee, military governor of the Philippines, in a review of a number of the courtmartial cases in the islands, the records of which have been received at the war department.

The case which brought forth this comment from General Chaffee was one wherein seven natives were tried jointly on a charge of murder. The accused were soldiers in the insurgent army, and after defeat by the American army in the field abandoned even the show of open opposition such as the half-uniformed guerrilla bands make and took up their residence in Taytay, in Luzon, a place protected by an American garrison. Then, following the proclamation of the insurgent chiefs, they proceeded to organize secretly a bolo band. When authorization had been given to establish civil government the band came forward under the leadership of a resident padre and were elected municipal officers of Taytay. Then ensued a remarkable attempt to serve two masters. In all lawful matters they served with the appearance of loyalty the American government, while at the same time they labored secretly and diligently in the interests of the insurrection. This dual form of government, says General Chaffee, existed everywhere. In strongly garrisoned cities like Manilla as well as the smallest barrio. The municipal officers of Taytay next entered upon a series of murders and continued their deadly work until the growing number of mysterious disappearances led to the discovery of the perpetrators by the American authorities. Six of the seven natives were sentenced to be hanged, but General Chaffee commuted the sentence of three of them to imprisonment at hard labor for life. The seventh native, Leonardo De Posoy, a regularly ordained priest, asked for and was granted a separate trial. When Taytay was given a permanent garrison of American troops, De Posoy was found there in pursuit of his calling as curate of the pueblo. Through his advantages of education, his spiritual relations with the people and his interest in their secular affairs, he was easily the most influential man in the community. He cultivated the good will of the American officers and promised to aid them in keeping peace. But when the elections to American civil government offices were held he put forward and caused to be elected as presidente one Caledonio Javier, whom General Chaffee describes as an "illiterate and bigoted man," whom De Posoy well knew was an officer of insurgents and whom he commended to the people as the best man for the office because he was "bold." At his trial De Posoy was held to be the chief agent in the Taytay murders. He was sentenced to 20 years' imprisonment at hard labor.

ANOTHER HORROR

In Which a Number of Lives are Lost Occurs in Pittsburg.

Four Boilers Let Go, Wrecking Two Manufactories and a Residence---Many Workmen Injured.

Special by Wire to Times-Democrat.

Pittsburg, Dec. 20.—One of three large boilers in the Black Diamond Steel Works let go this morning and at least ten men were killed and a score or more injured, the force of the explosion completely wrecking the building and machinery. At the west Pennsylvania hospital there are eleven injured. The list of dead will be greatly extended as the wreckage is removed.

Four Boilres Let Go.

Pittsburg, Dec. 20.—It has been learned that four of the battery of eight boilers let go in the ten-inch bar mill No. 3. There is not a straight piece of iron left in the entire building. The boiler works of the McNeil company, adjoining the Park Plant were also destroyed...One of the boilers went clean through Park brothers mill and crashed into the McNeil plant. Another of the boilers went across Thirtieth street and crashed into the residence of Robert Price at No. 8 Thirtieth street...It went through the front wall and fell into the cellar, completely wrecking the house. Price and his family were asleep at the time but escaped personal injury.

REAR END

Collision on the B. & O. at Scott Haven, Pa.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

McKeesport, Pa., Dec. 20.—B. & O. passenger train No. 14, crashed into the caboose of a freight at Scott Haven this morning. No passengers were killed, but many were slightly hurt. Engineer Frank Hughes, of Glenwood, was probably fatally injured.

SENATOR

Depew and Miss Palmer Will be Married at Nice.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Paris, Dec. 20.—Miss May Palmer, Senator Chauncey M. DePew's fiancee will leave for Nice tonight. The wedding has been definitely set for December 28 and will take place at Nice.

IMPROVED

Is the Condition of Ex-secretary of War Alger.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Detroit, Dec. 20.—Ex-Secretary of War Alger passed a good night and was consequently improved this morning. The operation for gall stones, which was to have been performed today, has been postponed by his physicians until tomorrow by which time it is hoped the operation will be unnecessary.

Live Stock Markets.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Chicago, Dec. 20.—Cattle 4,000, steady; hogs 30,000, slow, 10c lower; sheep 8,000, 10c lower.

Y. M. C. A. BIBLE CLASS TONIGHT.

The teachers and workers' class meets tonight at 7:15 o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. parlor. All teachers, Sunday school workers and those interested in the study of the Bible, are invited to be present.

BUCKEYE

e Represented in the Wreck

Occurred on Southern Pacific Road.

y Officials Claim the Accident was Due to Failure of One of the Engineers to Obey His Orders.

Francisco, Dec. 20.—North and ound Southern Pacific coast trains, running between this d Los Angeles, came together ad-on collision at Uplands. A express messenger and bag- n were killed and 25 passen- ore or less injured, probably fatally. The dead: A. Phelps, ger Wells Fargo & Company; and fireman southbound train; eman Thurber. Among the are: John Jordan, Rochester, bruised on head; George Meek- dford, S. D., slightly cut on A. S. Wakefield, Hiram, O., ut; Charles Wasson, Tranquil- shaken up; Mrs. Gertrude l, Beiler, Colo., bruised over neck sprained. Both engines emolished and the baggage, S and chair cars of the north- train were burned.

accident was due, the railway say, to the failure of Engineer of the northbound train to fol- t his orders, which instructed wait at a siding at Uplands he southbound train passed. of waiting the train passed the at the rate of 30 miles an hour. mile beyond it ran into the ound, which was coming at an ate of speed.

East Liberty Markets.

y Wire to Times-Democrat.

Liberty, ec. 20.—Cattle fair; 0 cars; sheep fair, steady.

Farmer Weather Coming.

y Wire to Times-Democrat.

ington, Dec. 20.—Ohio, fair d tonight; Saturday, fair with emperature.

FAMINE

In Coal Threatened in Chicago.

Temperature of Fifteen Degrees Below Zero

Is the Chilling Promise Made by the Weather Bureau—Railroads Confiscating the Coal.

Chicago, Dec. 20.—Chicago is staring a coal famine in the face and 15 degrees below zero is predicted by the weather bureau within 10 hours. Throughout the entire city big consumers of hard and soft coal are begging shippers to supply them, but without avail. The severe weather and the floods throughout the coal-mining districts have tied up railroads to such an extent that shipment is almost impossible. To add to the serious shortage railroad companies are exerting their prerogative of confiscating car lots of coal as fast as they arrive here, and are putting them to their own use. Large business houses are suffering severely for the want of coal and many concerns are hampered by reason of insufficient steam power. Many owners of large flat buildings are besieging coal dealers and begging that they be supplied with coal to tide over the zero weather.

MADAME

Dis de Barr and Her Husband are Sentenced.

Special by Wire to Times-Democrat.

London, Dec. 20.—Madame Dis De Barr and her husband, Theodore Jackson, were found guilty in old Bailey court, and sentence was immediately imposed. Madame Dis De Barr, who had posed as "Swani" to her victims, was sentenced to prison for seven years. Jackson was sentenced to fifteen years imprisonment.

COMPTROLLER'S CLERK

Arrested for Thefts That Have Been Going on for Many Years.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

New York, Dec. 20.—Chas. P. Chipp is in jail today charged with the theft of $30,000 from the Comptroller's office where he has been employed for twenty years. So cleverly has Chipp manipulated his books that they have stood scrutiny of experts for years. But for an erasure noticed last February, it is doubtful if the thefts would ever have been discovered. His stealings extended over the terms of three comptrollers. Mrs. Chipp, wife of the prisoner, states that her husband's dishonor has been caused by a Mount Vernon woman, the wife of an actor.

SLAVERY CONTINUES

Among the Moro Tribes in the Philippines, Says the Report.

Special by Wire to Times-Democrat.

Washington, Dec. 20.—The Philippine report made public today states that slavery is wide spread among the Moros but at the present time exists in an extremely mild form. The old slave hunting expeditions have nearly ceased. Military officers everywhere expressed an opinion that the Moro slaves were, on the whole, so well satisfied with their lot that if they were all set free, a majority of them would promptly return to their old masters and voluntarily take up their old life again. An attempt at the present time to use force in securing the liberty of Moro slaves would inevitably provoke a fierce conflict with these brave and warlike people.

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MUFFLERS

Are always acceptable as a Christmas gift. We have just received a nice assortment, ranging in price from

50c to $2.00.

HOSIERY.

Fancy colored Hosiery for men received this week. Our line of Ladies' Hosiery is unexcelled, and includes some new numbers in fancy goods that are beautiful. Children's and babies' stockings, including the silk heel and toe stockings, at 25c, that are sold at 35c by other dealers here

SILKS.

We have the exclusive sale here of the celebrated Haskell Silks and give a written guarantee with every yard we sell. Taffeta Silks from 49c to $1.50 a yard. The 49c grade is worth 65c. No store in the state can give you better values in silks than we can.

HANDKERCHIEFS.

Ladies' Initial Handkerchiefs at 19c, worth 25c. Men's initial goods at 25c that are as good as any 35c handkerchief in Lima. Excellent values from 1c up to $15.

ROBES.

Baby Carriage Robes from $1.50 to $6 each. At $2.50 we have a good quality of Highland Goat Skin, lined with heavy Shaker flannel and heavily padded.

RUGS.

Smyrna, Axminster and Moquette Rugs in all sizes. A bale of 27x54 Moquette Rugs came in this week, and are marked to sell at $2.25. They are beauties. At $3.50 we sell the large size Moquettes that are usually sold at $3.98 to $5. New room size Rugs in three different qualities just arrived.

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We are the selling agents in Lima for St. Marys Blankets. They are the best Blankets. If you are told in any other store that they have St. Marys Blankets, ask to see the ticket. When they can't show you a St. Marys ticket, don't believe them when they say they are the same as or as good as St. Marys. Carroll & Cooney have the genuine St. Marys Blankets with a St Marys ticket on every pair.

UMBRELLAS.

Every price from 50c up to $12. Our Christmas assortment is larger than any year heretofore. Men's elegant silk Umbrellas with sterling silver handles as high as $12 each. Ladies' Umbrellas up to $8.50 each.

SILK WAISTS.

Regular $5 Waists in all colors and all sizes from 32 to 42, have been put into this sale today at $3.75 each.

FURS.

From a modest little scarf at 98c up to the best near seal jacket at $60, our assortment is complete. Among the late arrivals is a large Hare Scarf with six tails, to sell at $2.50—looks like a $10 article. Also a French Stone Marten Scarf marked $5, that is as good as the $8 grade sold earlier in the season.

DRESS SKIRTS.

Peau de Soie and fancy net Skirts in the new serpentine styles at $12 to $35 each.

Carroll & Cooney.

GAGE

Airs His Views Concerning Banks

And Suggests

The Remedies He Would Apply

To Relieve the Weaknesses to the Present Natianal System.

Would Have One Central Institution With Convenient Branches in Large Cities—Guard Against Panics.

New York, Dec. 20. — Secretary of the Treasury Lyman Gage was the guest of honor and the principal speaker at the annual banquet of Group Eight of the New York State Bankers' association, held at the Waldorf-Astoria. Nearly 500 members of the association and their guests were present. George F. Baker, president of the First National bank, was toastmaster. Besides Secretary Gage the speakers were: Ex-Speaker Thomas B. Reed, the Rev. Dr. Donald Sage Mackay, ex-Judge Henry E. Howland and Amos Parker Wilder.

Secretary Gage said in part: "The weakness of our banking system is in the isolation and entire separateness of the individual banks over the country. When a period of distrust or doubt comes over the land there is a seeking of personal safety through that general instinct of self-preservation which drives men in a confused mass over each other at the cry of 'fire' in the theater. I ventured to suggest a system of coalition between individual members of the banking community through the country into one central institution, with convenient branches in the larger cities, in which all banks should be related or interested according to their individual relative importance, and which in a certain sense should represent to the banking interests of the country what the federal government represents in our political system. Great prejudice exists, I know, against the aggregation of great wealth in the hands of a few men. Happily it is the law of nature that larger gains and better advantages can be secured to aggregated wealth by serving faithfully the common interests than by exploiting the community through a system of theft and robbery."

The secretary urged that there be a reform of the currency system of the nation along the line outlined in his report to congress, and declared that no time was more favorable than the present for the judicious revision of the laws.

Ex-Speaker Thomas B. Reed followed Mr. Gage. He said in part: "All the dissatisfaction with our present currency system seems to be in the west and south. The people down there have all about them great natural resources as capable of producing wealth as those in the east. What they want is the means to develop these resources. The trouble with them is that they wanted currency, when they really wanted capital. For this reason I believe in a mixed currency. We must remember that a currency founded on government bonds has received the sanction of 40 years of stump speaking, of which I have done my share. The people have been taught that there was something sacred about this kind of currency. But government bonds are slipping away and the government is becoming a beggar, and something must be done. We must look to the future as well as to the past. The voice of the people, after they have made up their minds, is the voice of God. I want to say to you today that in the great problems that face this nation today we shall be fortunate if we get cold, sensible, dispassionate discussion."

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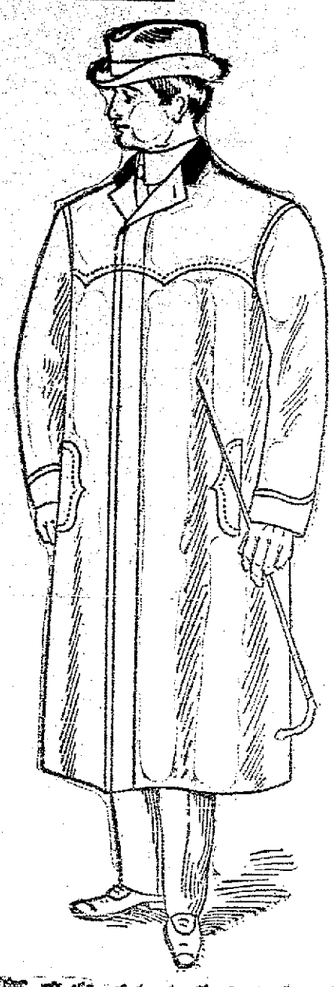

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Oxford Mufflers	50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50 and $2.00.
Full Dress "Protectors"	$1.50 and $2.00.
Silk Suspenders	50c, 75c and $1.00.
Gloves (lined and unlined)	50c, $1.00 and $1.50.
Neckwear	50c, 75c and $1.00.
Fancy Hosiery	25c and 50c.
Fancy Shirts	$1.00, $1.50 and $2.00.
Men's Sweaters	$1.00, $1.50 and $2.00.
Boys' Sweaters	50c, $1.00 and $1.50.
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Watch Chains. Fobs.
Underwear 25c to $2.50.
Caps 50c to $2.50.
Gloves 25c to $1.50.
Fur Gloves $2 to $5.
Lexther Slippers 50c to .50.
Velvet Slippers 50c to $1.
Shoes $1.25 to $5.
Stiff Hats $1 to $4.
Soft Hats 50c to $3.
Trousers $1 to $6.
Suits $5 to $20.
Overcoats $3.50 to $22.
Trunks, Suit Cases and alises.
Umbrellas $1 to $6.

For Boys:

Silk Mufflers 50c to $1.
Neckwear 25c to 50c.
Gloves 25c to $1.
Suspenders 10c to 25c.
Handkerchiefs 10c to 25c.
Stiff Shirts 50c and 75c.
Soft Shirts 50c and 75c.
Flannel Shirts $1.
Underwear 25c and 50c.
Caps 25c and 50c.
Shoes 75c to $2.50.
Vestee Suits, Russian Blouse its, Norfolk Suits $2 to $5.
Yoke Overcoats $5 to $10.
Sweaters for little boys 50c $1.25.

For Ladies and Misses:

A fine assortment of Shoes d Overshoes.
All colors and styles of lt Fur Top Slippers.
Ladies' Fancy Handle Umellas from $1 to $6.

THE UNION
Clothing and Shoe Co.

NEWS

Of the City Across the River.

Turkey Shoot

To be Held by the Winchester Club.

Marriage of Miss Cleo Cavins and Mr. Aaron Shank is Announced.

The 1902 Pedro Club Royally Entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stanyer Last Evening.

J. R. Rakestraw, resident on south Main street, this morning received a letter from his father, J. W. Rakestraw, residing near Williamsport, Pa. The missive related most unpleasant intelligence. The elder Rakestraw, who lives in the reigon recently devistated by terrible floods, was extensively engaged in stock raising. His large farm was almost completely inundated. The water even raised to the second story of his house, located on the highest point upon the farm. He writes his son that his loss of stock, damage to his properties and farm, will amount to twenty thousand dollars. The unfortunate man says the flood was caused by the breaking of mill dams near Proctor.

The 1902 Pedro club was entertained last night at the home of Mrs. Thomas Stanyer, on south Pierce street. Mrs. A. Zimmerman succeeded in capturing first prize. Second was obtained by Mrs. Miller. Mrs. Holtzfoster was consoled. Games were followed by the discussion of seasonable delicacies. Later genuine sociability prevailed until adjournment. Mrs. Stanyer's delectation of her guests was appreciated. The event was mutually delightful. Next week no meeting will be held. On Jan. 2, the club will meet with Mrs. Holtzfoster.

See Crossley rothers before buying your Christmas candies.

The wedding of Miss Cleo Cavins, of south Lima to Aaron A Shank, has just been announced. The nappy event occurred Wednesday evening Rev. Ballinger officiated at the nuptials; the couple being united in wedlock at his home on east Eureka street. The bride is the accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Cavins, residing on south Main street. She is highly esteemed by a wide circle of friends. Mr. Shank is a popular young employe at the C. H. & D. shops. They are at home to their friends on Scott street. A notable event in connection with this wedding is that the ring employed in the marriage ceremony was the same one used twenty-five years ago when the bride's parents became man and wife. Mrs. Cavins presented the ring to her daughter. The newly married couple many friends hope their may be a long, happy and prosperous wedded life.

An informal meeting of the south side Winchester Gun Club was held last night, at which among other things of importance, the matter of having a turkey shoot within a few days was considered. The turkeys will be given to the poor of the city.

Try some of the delicious cakes at Crossley Bros., 715 south Main street.

This afternoon the local schools closed for the annual holiday vacation.

Good beefsteak, ten cents a pound at Crossley Bros., 715 south Main St.

Rev. A. D. Welty, is conducting successful evangelistic services at the Solarville mission. He is occasionally assisted by Rev. Hagerman, of Grace M. E. church.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Cavins, of south Main street, are preparing a large box of home delicacies which they will ship to their son, Ora, at Fort Riley, Kansas, where he is serving in the regular army. A number of others here will send similar rememberances to members of their families at various western posts.

John Anderson, residing on south Jackson street, secured a ten dollar cash prize in the Enquirer election guessing contest.

Lieutenant Mathews came over from Ada this morning to mingle with south side friends, a few days.

Miss Adda Cremean conducting a millinery establishment at Minneopolis, combining business with pleasure in this vicinity, yesterday.

Mrs. J. O. Dempster's guest, Miss Vernie Rumbaugh, has gone to her home at Alger.

Rev. W. H. Gallant will leave tomorrow for Hamlin, where he will preach Sunday.

Mrs. E. W. Jones is here from Delphos, enjoying the hospitality of south side friends.

Frank Walker, after a weeks stay in this community, left this morning for Spencerville, where he will remain awhile before departing for his home in Chicago.

Thomas Thompson, residing on east Eureka street, recently sent to Washington D. C., the diagrams of an apparatus for propelling street cars, which he invented, intending to have it patented as quickly as possible. The product of his experiment tends to the revolutionizing of street car motive power. He proposes to abolish trolly wires and wheels from which the electrical power is now derived, by constructing trucks beneath the cars in such a manner as to generate the requisite power for moving them by the car wheels passing over specially made rails. His idea is to have twelve wheels, the same as now employed under each car. In the center of each rail he would place in small grooves, copper wires. The machinery passing over these the inventor asserts, would generate an electrical current which with the ordinary mechanism of a street car, could be conducted in the dynamo thus furnishing the cars propelling force. By this scheme power houses with their attendant expenses could be obviated. No inconvenience would result in suburban operations. The cost of manipulating the cars would be greatly reduced. Many phases of inconvenience now encountered in operating in cities would be readily remodeled when desired to meet all the requirements of the new arrangement.

Members in this locality of the Auglaize Baptist association have received a valuable work in the form of a beautiful pamphlet containing the minutes of the association for the current year. A portion of the book is devoted biographical sketches of prominent members and pioneer Baptists. It gives a history of the twenty churches comprising the association. Rev. A. W. Yale, well known here, is the author.

Several of his relatives in this locality were in attendance at the special srevices held in the Catholic church at Ada last week in honor of A. C. Baker. The recipient of this unusual distinction is a venerable citizen residing near Ada. Reverends Veirneman of Marysville, and Siebenfoercher, of Kenton, conducted the special services for Mr. Baker.

Bulk olives at Dimond Bros'. 7-2t

Open evenings until Christmas. Columbia Shoe Store.

The largest assortment of Domestic and Imported Cigars in all size boxes for Christmas presents at Morrison's Cigar Co. 6 tf

Miss Grah, teacher of Prof. Flynn's physical culture and vital center course, can be found at 328 north Pierce street. 6-6t

Dr. Taylor, dentist, Cincinnati block. All work guaranteed. 52-tf

Christmas Tree Candles 16 to 48 in box, 10c a box at Dimond Bros.' 7 2

"Itching hemorrhoids were the plague of my life. Was almost wild Doan's Ointment cured me quickly and permanently, after doctors had failed." C. F. Cornwell, Valley street, Saugerties, N. Y.

ARE YOU STILL INTERESTED
In novelties for the holidays, such as Match Safes, Smoking Sets, Hat Brushes, Bonnet Brushes, Tooth Brushes, Nail Files, Paper Knives and many other articles suitable for Xmas presents. Basinger & Cameron. 7-3t

$1.48 buys a fine pair of gentlemens' slippers at the Columbia.

You need not run around in the cold and look for Xmas presents when you can select 100 different kinds of presents at Georgi's Art store, and prices are right, no fancy prices but we have fancy goods, 204 south Main street, 2 doors below Spring. 7-2t

Framing Pictures at Georgi's

CHANGE OF DATE.

The concert by the choral society, which was announced for Friday evening, December 20, has been changed to Monday evening, December 23, at the Congregational church. 7-2t

O do go and see the beautiful store filled with holiday goods, there never was such stock shown in Lima, like at Georgi's Art Store. Open evenings. 7-12t

High-Grade

Wines and Whiskeys

Put up in

Fancy Bottles.

Suitable for a gentleman's Xmas present.

CALL US UP BY 'PHONE
AND WE WILL
BE PLEASED TO DELIVER
ANYTHING YOU WISH.

The National Wine Co.

BOTH 'PHONES. GOODS DELIVERED.

Grand Going Out of Business Sale.

AT

The Globe, 202 North Main St.

Is a pronounced success, the thousands of pleased customers who have bought here, have found EVERY STATEMENT AS MADE IN OUR ADS AS "BONA-FIDE" FACTS. The Knox Syndicate, of Buffalo, have rented our store from January 1st, next, so we MUST vacate by Dec. 30th, next. Many goods, all new up-to-date, are selling at

Half Price and Less

Below are a few of the numberless bargains; read, then call in and inspect same, don't put it off, all the goods must be sold by December 30th. A rare chance for Christmas purchasers.

Shoe Department.

No end to the good things if you will not delay your purchases too long.

Ladies' Button or Lace Shoes, worth $1.50, now 75c
Ladies' " " " " worth $2.00, now 99c
Ladies' " " " " worth $3.00, now 1.50
Ladies' extra fine Button or Lace Shoes, worth $4.50, now 1.98
Ladies' Hand Turned Button or Lace Shoes, worth $5.00, now 2.48

Misses Kid Lace Shoes, worth $1.00, now 50c
Misses Calf Lace Shoes, worth $1.50, now 75c
Misses Best Leather Lace Shoes, worth $2.50, now 1.39

Childs' Shoes, lace or button, worth $1.00, now 45c, sizes 5 to 8.
Childs' Shoes, best leather, worth $1.00 to $1.50, now 75c
Finest Baby Shoes, all colors, worth 50c, now 25c

Men's Calf Shoes, lace or congress, worth $1.75 and 2.00, now 92c
Men's Fine Vici Kid and French Calf Shoes, worth $2.00 to 3.00, now $1.25
Men's Fine Hand-Sewed Shoes, extra good, worth $4.00, now 1.75
Men's Tan Vici and Tan Calf Shoes, Hand-Sewed, worth $3.50 to $4.50, now .. 1.50
Men's Good Patent Leather and Box Calf Shoes, worth $3.50 to $4.00, now ... 1.69
Men's Best $5.00 Latest and Best Styles, worth double, now 2.48

Boys' Satin Calf Shoes, lace, worth $1.50, now 75c
Boys' Box Calf and Vici Lace Shoes, worth $2.50, now $1.25
Youths' Assorted Lot Shoes, worth $1.50, now 75c
Little Gents' Box Calf and Vici Shoes, worth $2.00, now 98c
Ladies' 50c and 60c Rubbers at 25c and 35c. Men's 85c and $1.00 Rubbers at 59c and 65c; other Arctics and Rubbers One-Half Price.

Underwear Department.

Men's Gray Cotton, worth 35c, now ..... 16 cents
Men's or Boys' Fleece Lined Heavy, worth 50c, now ..... 25 cents
Men's Fleece Lined, finest, worth 75c, now ..... 42c and 35 cents
Boys' Fleece Lined, worth 35c, now ..... 19 cents
Men's All-wool, worth $1.00, now ..... 50 cents
Men's All-wool, fine, worth $1.50, now ..... 85 cents
Men's All-wool Fine Plushback, worth $1.75, now ..... 98 cents
Men's All-wool Finest, worth $2.38, now $1.25

Men's Hosiery Department.

Men's Hose, worth 6c, now 4 cents.
Men's Hose, worth 20c, now 10 cents.
Men's Hose, worth 12 1-2c, now 6 1-4c.
Men's Hose, worth 35c, now 16c.

Neckwear Department.

Choice of any 50c Ties at 25c.
Choice of any 40c Ties at 19c.
Choice of any 25c Ties at 12 1-2c.

Shirt Department.

White or Colored Dress Shirts, worth $1.25 to $1 50, at 69c; 75c grades at 38c.
Work Shirts—75c value at 38c; 50c value at 30c; 25c value at 16c.

Every Day and Sunday Wear Pants. "OX BREECHES".
Another Pair Free if They Rip!
$1.00 Grades at 48c. $1.35 Grades at 69c. $2.00 Grades at 98c. $2.50 Grades at $1.75. $3.50 Grades at $1.75. $4.00 Grades at $1.98.

Men's Overalls. 50c Grade at 25c. 75c Grade at 39c.

Thousands of other Bargains too numerous to mention. Call soon and lay in a two years supply, as such a chance will never occur again.

The Globe, Open Evenings.

202 N. MAIN ST. Next Door South of Rowland's Furniture Store.
SEE A FEW SPECIAL BARGAINS IN SHOW WINDOWS.

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It is now proposed to build an executive mansion at Washington for the exclusive use of the president and his cabinet, locating it south of the treasury building. This is right. Is there any reasonable reason why the president of the United States should not retire to the privacy of his own home life a portion of each twenty-four hours?

For some time past there have been growing indications that a great row was brewing between Senators Foraker and Hanna over the organization of the Ohio legislature; but when Hanna intimated that there might be another candidate for the senate, Foraker's fighting spirit fell down, and he thereupon declared that "It is all a mistake."

The next legislature of Ohio is to be petitioned to repeal the tax on state, city and municipal bonds. This tax is said to operate adversely on the sale of such bonds, which usually pay a low rate of interest, owing to the safety of the investment. The result is that these bonds are driven to other states to avoid taxation, thereby discouraging the investment of local capital in them.

Delaware has a new constitution, which will make practically impossible in the future the corruption of voters by wholesale as it was practiced by "Gas" Addicks for the last eight or ten years. The new rule of voting does not require the prepayment of a poll tax. Heretofore elections have been carried in all parts of that state by candidates and machine managers who appeared near the polling places and paid the poll taxes of citizens who agree to vote for them. This is the way elections are carried in Pennsylvania. Thousands of dollars are contributed annually to buy tax receipts, and this forms an important part of the corrupt election system.

It is better to give than to receive what you don't want.

THE IDLER.

Interesting to Gold Mine Owners.

Those of Lima people who have interests in the gold mining properties in British Columbia will appreciate the following:

Rossland, B. C., advices note that the profits from mine and smelting works of the Le Roi company during the year ending June 30, were $585,000, all of which was put into improvements. The ore reserves above the 900 foot level are estimated at 484,000 tons of an average value of $11.75 a ton.

ICE CREAM AND ICES.

Throughout the entire winter, orders for ice cream and ices will receive prompt attention at the Bowers Bakery. A great supply is always on hand. 8-3t

TALKING MACHINES.

Porter & Son are closing out their entire stock of Talking Machines and Records. Every thing going at wholesale prices. Don't buy until you see this great stock.

TWICE A DAY.

All kinds of baked goods fresh every morning and evening at the Bowers Bakery. 8-3t

Rabbits, Turkeys, Ducks, Turtles and Chicken at Townsend's.

SECRETARY

Of the Treasury Wants to Resign

But the President's Desire is for Him to Remain.

It is Now Authoritively Announced That Secretary Hay Will Not Resign His Position in the Cabinet.

Special by Wire to Times-Democrat.

Washington, Dec. 20.— Secretary Gage told President Roosevelt this morning that he would like to retire from the cabinet inside of two months or by early spring at least. The President is endeavoring to persuade him to remain. Among the possible successors to Mr. Gage that have been mentioned are Judge Wm. H. Taft, civil governor of the Philippines, Myron T. Herrick, of Cleveland, and General F. V. Green, of New York.

It is authoritively stated that Mr. Hay will not resign.

HOME MADE CANDIES.

The finest, most delicious home made candies and popcorn in every style can be obtained at the Bowers Bakery. The display windows are frosted—so we invite you to just step inside and see our large assortment. 8-3t

DANCING

This evening and Saturday afternoon and evening at Wheeler hall.

LIMA CHAPTER 49, R. A. M.

Stated convocation this (Friday) evening. Annual election of officers.

W. J. SHEPHERD, H. P.
WALLACE LANDIS, Secy.

Fine Violins, Guitars, Banjos from $3 up, at Porter & Son's. Elegant things for Christmas.

A pretty calendar, a nice box of stationary, a nice picture make fine gifts See the line at the City Book Store. 8 2

Those French fruits at Stolzenbach's are excellent.

MOST QUIET

Place in Lima Today was the Court House.

Numerous Real Estate Transfers Made but "Nothing Doing" Otherwise.

Perhaps the most quiet place in the down town districts today was the county capital. Court has adjourned for the holidays and most people down town are busy getting rid of their money, making numerous Christmas purchases. In most of the court house offices there was literally "nothing doing."

May End It.

Attorneys Reeve & Lindeman were at Lima Wednesday, before Judge Cunningham in Common Pleas court, where a motion for a new trial in the case of Wm. H. Eusien against the Dayton Street Railway Company and the C. H. & D. Railway Company, was argued. Reeve & Lindeman represent the plaintiff and recently received a verdict in the sum of $8,000, with interest from the first day of September term of court. At the conclusion of the argument, the motion for a new trial was overruled by Judge Cunningham and judgment entered upon the verdict. This will probably be the ending of the case.—Delphos Herald.

Probate Matters.

In the matter of the estate of Tillie A. Roby, deceased, James O. Ohler was appointed administrator today.

Real Estate Transfers.

Clara J. Brotherton to T. Matilda Moore, 90 acres in Perry township, $1.00 etc.

Frank Cramer and wife to John Reigle, inlot No. 442 in Huber's second addition to the village of Bluffton, $60.

Wm. T. Agerter to J. R. McCullough, inlot 110 in Lakewood sub-division, $375.

J. Craig and wife to Jordon Craig, lot No. 9 in Craig's east addition to Lafayette, $10.

Albert C. Blain and wife to Mrs. E. J. Newland, lot 332 in the village of Harrod, $50.

Wm. T. Agerter to C. C. Bower, lot 138 in Lakewood sub-division, $250.

Wm. T. Agerter to Mary A. Robb, lot 5965 in Lakewood sub-division, $400.

Mary Mullen, guardian of James, Thomas P., John E., Mary and Joseph Mullen, to Robert P. Higginbothan, inlot 963 in Nichols' addition, $600.

Theo. H. Conderman to Daniel E. Simons, inlot 5810 in Conderman's addition, $550.

August Kettler to James Lewis, inlot 404 in Standiford's addition, $700.

Wm. T. Agerter to John W. Shannahan, lot in Lakeview addition, $250.

Wm. T. Agerter to John M. Musser, lot in same addition, $250.

Have your candy packed to order at Stolzenbach's. 8 4

WANTS, FOR RENT, LOST, FOR SALE, ETC.

LOST—$75.00 in paper money in small sack. Reward will be paid if returned to this office or Frank Keve, 841 west High street. 8-2t*

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Good fresh cow. Inquire at 519 east Findlay street. 7-3t*

FOR SALE—A good work mule: call at 671 north West street. 7-3t*

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms with board in a private family for two gentlemen or man and wife at 267 north West street. 47-tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Hand painted china at 506 east High street at prices ranging from 75 cents upward. Sale will begin Monday. Mrs. Frank Stilson. 4-6t

FOR SALE—Choice lot in class A, Lakewood addition. Inquire of C. H. Folsom. 7-tf.

FOR SALE—Lot 5423 in Park addition, one of the best lots in the addition. H. V. Chase, secretary Y. M. C. A. 53-tf

WANTED.

WANTED—Young man for traveling position; experience unnecessary; salary $50 month and expenses. Plough-Williams Co., Manhattan building, Chicago. 3t*

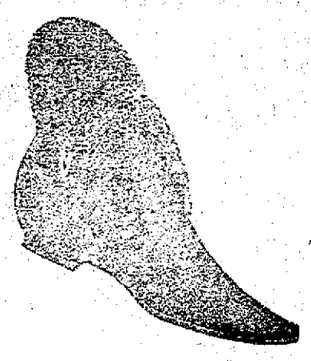
STORAGE ROOMS—For household goods of all kinds; dry and clean; reasonable price for space. Call at Columbia Shoe Store, new Black block. 5-3t

Christmas Shoes and Slippers.

MORE PEOPLE BUY SHOES AND SLIPPERS FOR CHRISTMAS GIFTS EVERY YEAR. THEY MAKE SUCH SUITABLE AND SENSIBLE PRESENTS. OUR STOCK IS LARGER AND BETTER THAN EVER. WE CAN GIVE YOU ANYTHING YOU MAY WANT IN

Shoes and Slippers

THIS CHRISTMAS. MEN'S SLIPPERS 48c TO $2.00. LADIES' SLIPPERS, all STYLES $1 TO $3.50. BOY'S AND GIRLS SLIPPERS 75 CENTS TO $1.25. RUBBER BOOTS FOR THE LITTLE BOYS.



Visit Our Store To-day.

GOODING'S,

230 NORTH MAIN STREET.

Store Open Evenings for Convenience of Christmas Shopping.

A Wide Difference

Now from the old style of Holiday shopping, when glitter and appearance run a race with senseless personal and household gifts. The people are growing wiser as the world grows older and now most everyone is looking for sensible, useful, lasting gifts. Our store is now fast depleting one of the finest holiday stocks in this line Lima has ever seen and if you have not gone into every department you have missed some suggestion that would make your Christmas shopping easier. Yes, our stock is growing less every day and we would suggest you come in the morning to avoid the crowds and have your leisure to get properly waited on. But in all the haste and crush of anxious buyers the usual

"Bluem Standard"

of promptness, excellence, style and moderate price is uppermost.

Souvenir Christmas Boxes.

All our silks, waist patterns, dress goods, hosiery, gloves and handkerchiefs, will be put up in handsome pyrographic, (burnt wood) boxes. These are lace lined and have the tone and style that a present should have and what better name on a Christmas box than "Bluem," the guarantee of style and quality.

Silks.

BLACK Peau-de-Sole one of the popular silks this season and a fast seller $1.00, 1.25, 1.50 a yard.

Taffeta, another favorite, 50c, 75c, $1.00, 1.25 a yard.

27-inch black satin, $1.00.

Black satin, Duchesse, $1.00 and 1.25 a yard.

Black Armure $1.25.

COLORED Peau-de-Sole in the staple and evening shades $1.00 a yard.

Taffeta, still another grand seller and in all colors, 50c, 75c and $1.00 a yard.

Waist Flannel.

Never in the history of this store has there been such sales and as many novelties offered as has been on our counters and we are still showing some beautiful things in silk stitched, striped and Persian patterns. No time to describe style now, prices only 75c and $1.00 a yard.

Flannelette.

A beautiful new cashmere effect with side band for trimming. Neat, handsome patterns, 17c a yard. Others at 10 and 12½c are worthy qualities.

Eiderdown

Always a popular fabric for comfort at this season of the year for dressing jackets, house coats, baby cloaks, baby coach robes, bath robes and a hundred things where warmth and comfort are required.

Plain 28, 40, 50, 75c a yard.

Ripple 40c a yard.

Handkerchiefs.

It would be folly even to attempt to give you an idea of the styles in any one priced line. The line must be seen to give any idea.

LADIES 5c each, plain hemstitched and colored borders and a wide range of patterns.

10c plain hemstitched, embroidered, lace edge and revered.

15c worthy grade that any one could carry with pride.

25c handsome patterns in 50 different styles.

Peasant made Swiss and Irish lace and linen lawn. The better grade are hand made goods. $1.50, $2, $2.50, $3, $4 to $6 each.

INITIAL in all letters.

Childrens, three in a box 25c a box.

Ladies' 15 and 25c each.

Men's 25 and 50c each.

MEN'S latest and this fall's patterns in colored borders, 5, 10, 12½ and 15c each.

White, hemstitched in all width hems, 5 and 10c cotton. 15, 20, 25 and 50 each, linen.

White or colored border, Jap silk, soft, neat qualities 25 and 50c each.

Handkerchief Centers.

If you want to make a beautiful handkerchief yourself we have the linen centers at 15 and 25c each and the lace in all widths and as fine as any hand made handkerchief would require.

Colgates Toilet Articles.

This make of toilet articles is so well known it is useless to describe quality or its delicate odors.

Perfumes 5c, 25c, 35c, 50c to $1.50 a bottle all odors.

Toilet waters in popular odors.

Vioris.

Lilac.

La France Rose.

Lavender Flower and others.

Honey Almond for rough or chappy hands or skin, 41c a bottle.

Florida Water, one of the oldest and most favorite perfumed waters 45c for a large bottle.

Sozodont 19c bottle.

Rubifoam 19c bottle.

Dr. Lyons tooth powder 19c.

Woodbury's soaps and toilet articles.

Toilet Soaps.

Cuticura.
Packers Tar.
Cashmere Bouquet.
Pears Unscented.

Fern Trays.

For a table decoration, nothing neater or dressier for the dining table, or sitting room. In silver metal open scroll designs and with a flower pot made properly for growing ferns $1.38 each.

Fern Columns.

Designes in relief in cameo patterns, gilt base and top for growing ferns $1.00 each.

Rose Glasses

Or bouquet holders. The base is a gilt figure holding a beautiful glass, tulip shape and very rich in appearance $1.00 each.

Photograph Frames.

Beautiful gilt frames with fancy metal corners 10c. Others in metal or plush at 40, 50 and 85c each. Gilt or silver metal.

Fairy Lamps.

These are in different colors and are to represent a wine glass and with a light in them have a beautiful, delicate, soft appearance, 15c each.

Jardiniers.

They were moving fast yesterday and why not, such prices are just half that a famous "Rockwood" ware is usually sold for.

49c, 75c and $1.00 each.

Lace Curtains.

Beautiful Nottingham curtains and reduced to close out two, three and four pairs of a pattern.

$1.50 a pair were $2, 2.25 and 2.49.

$2.50 a pair were $2.75.

All 3½ yards long and 45 to 60 inches wide.

Only 50 pairs in this lot so come early as lace curtains are popular Christmas gifts.

Pocket Books.

We carry the most extensive line of these goods in Lima and the leathers are most varied; grain, kid, seal, alligator and morroco. Prices range from 25c to $4.00 each.

Chatelain Bags.

In metal and a good substitute for cut steel, plain or oxidized 88c, $1.25, 1.50 to $4.50 each.

Cut steel bags suede lined and back at $3.50, 3.75, 5.00 and $6.50 each.

Leather with plain and oxidized silver clasps and big variety of shapes in all leathers 25c, 50, 75 to $1.50 each.

Hand Brushes.

A fortunate business transaction has given us a variety of shapes, all bristles, in these goods to sell at about half price, 25c each.

Hair Brushes.

Solid backs; ebony, maple or oak, 25c and 50c each.

Florodora Roll Combs.

A new comb to catch the stray locks.
Imitation shell 15c and 25c each.

Garters and Hose Supports.

Fancy lisle, in all colors, to "hook on" or "pin on," others to go around the waist, and fancy round garters with beautiful buckles. Put up one pair in a box, 25c a pair.

Linen Table Damask.

68-inch bleached, imported Damask, large variety of patterns, 85c yard.

72-inch bleached, double Damask, $1.00 a yard.

70-inch at $1.25 a yard.

Damask Table Sets.

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ɜd for from the Council at Delphos.

Gas Company Wants to Take ɔld of Things and Makes a Proposition.

ɜe a surprise was sprung at the ng of the village council last ɜg, says a special from Delphos. Mr. Dailey, of Toledo, a repre- ɜve of the Kerlin Brothers, pre- ɜ two ordinances, one granting ɜetual franchise to the Consoli- Gas and Light Company, of To- for the right to use the streets, , etc., for the construction and ɜion of a gas plant, and the other the price of artificial gas for ɜ $1.10 per 1,000 cubic feet, and ɜating gas at $1.55 per 1,000 feet ɜerm of ten years. The Kerlins ɜought up the plants of the nat- ɜd artificial gas companies here, ɜs natural gas is becoming very ɜ, they intend manufacturing a ɜt for fuel and light. The fran- ɜnder which the company is now ɜing was given in 1889, and is a ɜual one. The company has ɜharging $2.50 a month for fuel ɜr one stove, in the winter, and ɜin the summer. The new fran- ɜordinance does not repeal the ɜe, hence it is still effective. The ɜny has been unable to furnish ɜnt gas in the winter months to ɜ the consumers, but to have the ɜage of the luxury, they kept on ɜpaying and did their kicking against the council for granting a perpetual franchise, so that practically the company could not be interfered with. Both ordinances were passed at the same meeting that they were presented, which raises a question of the legality of the franchise ordinance, it being generally understood that important measures of that sort should be read at three separate meetings.

MAYOR'S COURT.

One Man Fined—Wm. Hann Pleads Not Guilty.

William Hann, whom officer Hugh Patton brought back to this city from St. Marys yesterday to answer to a charge of having stolen some carpenter tools belonging to Joseph Cave, pleaded not guilty to the charge and was not yet had a hearing.

James McKennen, charged with drunkenness, was fined $5.60.

Eliza Doty, arrested for being intoxicated, was dismissed.

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FAIR MANAGERS

Will Meet at Bellefontaine Next Year.

T. B. Bowersock, Wm. Rusler, A. Harrod, George Fetter, Dr. Blattenberg, Aaron States, Wesley Wright returned last night from Findlay, after attending the Fair Managers' Association. The next meeting will be held in December, 1902 at Bellefontaine.

The old officers were all reelected. J. S. Stuckey, Van Wert, president; T. L. Calvert, Springfield, vice president, and A. P. Sandles, Ottawa, secretary and treasurer.

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C. H. & D. Boilermakers Kept Busy Visiting Outlaying Stations and Making the Usual Cold Weather Repairs.

A few days ago an Associated Press dispatch announced that K. S. Storrs, had resigned the position of a division superintendent on the C. B. & Q. railroad to accept the position of general superintendent of the Wheeling & Lake Erie road. Later information, however, is to the effect that Mr. Storrs will become general superintendent of the Lake Erie and Western, with headquarters at Indianapolis. If this latter statement is true, the office is to be renewed on the L. E. & W. After that road was purchased by the Vanderbilt interests the office of general superintendent, which was then occupied by D. S. Hill, was abolished and the jurisdiction of general superintendent Blodgett, of the Lake Shore, was extended over the L. E. & W. system.

It is this morning rumored in railroad circles that the new superintendent of the northern division of the Detroit Southern railroad to succeed J. R. Hawkins, resigned, will be Joseph W. Sherwood, formerly with the Big Four. Mr. Sherwood is an experienced railroad man and is spoken of as a hustler, whose connection with the Detroit Southern will benefit that road.

Traveling passenger agent Hicks and roadmaster Safford, the former of the Lake Erie and the latter of the Lake Shore, were in the city yesterday on business pertaining to their respective departments.—Ft. Wayne Sentinel.

C. H. & D. Notes.

Switch engine No. 88 was held in the round house today for repairs.

Passenger engine No. 201 was run out last night after having received light repairs.

Engine No. 9 is in the round house for a new set of flues.

The boilermakers are kept on the move, frequent trips to Piqua, Deshler, Findlay, North Baltimore and Tontogany being necessary.

The first Findlay, Ft. Wayne & Western engine to put in an appearance her for repairs was received today.

The carpenters are building two new cabs that will be sent to Dayton for engines 354 and 268 that were damaged in a head-end collision recently. New tanks and tank frames are also being built for them.

Jake Braun went to Tontogany to do some repair work on engine 11.

PUTNAM

County After the Delphos Paper Mill.

Grand Jury Returns an Indictment Charging Pollution of Waters of the Auglaize.

The Hinde & Dauch Paper Company, of Delphos, has been indicted by the grand jury of Putnam county on the charge of polluting the waters of Jennings creek and the Auglaize river with filth and noxious matter from their mill. Foreman Harbrecht has been served with a summons, which is returnable Saturday, but the case will hardly come up then.

The Hinde & Dauch Paper Company has retained Attorneys Reeve & Lindemann to look after their interests in the case, which will probably come up in January. Foreman Harbrecht states that the waste water that they run into the Main street sewer and which empties into Jennings creek is nothing more nor less than lime water, a glass ful of which could be swallowed by a person at any time without injury. The mill discharges about 200,000 gallons of this water each day. They intend to contest the indictment.

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The Old Farm, large, handsome illustrations, $1.25.

Waverly Novels, neat cloth binding, 48c each.

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Ridpath's History of the United States, 800 pages, 98c.

Louisa M. Alcott's Works, fine cloth and gold binding, regular price $1.50, our price $1.05.

White House Cook Book, 600 pages, worth $1.00, our price 69c.

Remarks by Bill Nye, 500 pages, cloth and gold binding, 49c.

Hawaii, Our New Possession, by John R. Musick, 500 pages, 57c.

Samantha in Europe, 700 pages, 89c.

Twenty years of hustling, by J. P. Johnston, 600 pages, 50c.

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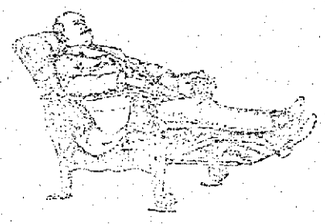

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For the Christmas and New Year's Holiday excursion tickets will be sold between all stations on the Ohio Central lines. Excursion tickets will be on sale December 24, 25, and 31, 1901 and January 1, 1902, at rate of one and one-third fare for the round trip; tickets good to return until January 2, 1902.

On same dates excursion tickets will be sold to points on connecting lines with return limit the same. Call on agents of Ohio Central Lines for tickets and full particulars. d&w-tf

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For the Christmas and New Year Holidays, the Erie Railroad will sell excursion tickets to all points in Central Pasenger Association territory on December 24th, 25th, 31st, and January 1st, good returning until January 2nd. d&w to Dec 21 F. M. McCoy, agt.

Say "No" to the man who offers you a cheap substitute for Fox's "Forex" Butter Crackers. If you don't he wins and you lose. It costs less to make poor imitations.

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More Matrimonial Venture

Was a Failure

And Courts are Asked to Interfere

And Sever the Bonds Which were Welded but Short Time Ago.

The Plaintiff Makes Rather Startling Allegations Against Her Liege Lord in Petition for a Divorce.

Sarah H. Allen has filed a petition in the court of common pleas asking that she may be granted a divorce from Alfred C. Allen, says the Auglaize County Democrat. The couple were married on the 15th day of September, 1901, at Cridersville, Ohio. No children have been born to them as the issue of said marriage. Sarah further says as grounds for divorce that Alfred has been guilty of extreme cruelty toward her in this: That he has repeatedly struck, beat and wounded her since their marriage at their home in Cridersville, and has threatened and attempted to kill her. That on the evening of December 6 the defendant did strike, beat, bruise and scratch plaintiff in the most cruel and shameful manner, and then and there did take a towel and place and twist the same around her neck and attempted to strangle her to death. That by reason of the facts aforesaid she has been compelled to flee from her home and remain away for her own safety and protection. That the said defendant is able and capable of, and does earn valuable wages.

The said plaintiff further avers that she is possessed of and is the owner of a homestead in the village of Cridersville which she acquired from a former husband; that Roscoe Sharp has some interest in said premises, which she asks that he be required to set up in this proceeding. That the defendant, Alfred C. Allen, now excludes plaintiff from her said premises and homestead, and threatens to and will so permanently exclude her therefrom and injure and dispose of her household goods and furniture and interfere with plaintiff's use and possession of her said homestead and household goods and furniture, and exclude plaintiff from possession and use thereof, unless he be enjoined by the court from the commission of said act, for which she has no adequate remedy at law.

Wherefore the plaintiff prays the court for a divorce from the defendant, and that she may be awarded and decreed reasonable alimony, and that during the pendency of this case the said defendant may be enjoined from excluding or attempting to exclude plaintiff from her said home or homestead or in any way interfering with her in her rightful possession of same, and that he may also be enjoined from disposing of or removing said household goods and furniture, or any part thereof. That she may be restored to her former name of Sarah H. Sharp, and for such other relief as is just and proper. Ridenour & Halfhill are her attorneys.

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Huntingdon, Pa., Dec. 20.—Fire destroyed the opera house block, including the stores of A. S. Mullin, dry goods; C. C. Read, druggist; E. V. Yoder, novelties; J. B. Port, confectioner, and the Acme department store. Loss $150,000; partly insured.

Cecil Had a Stroke.

London, Dec. 20.—A dispatch to the Central News from Cairo says Cecil Rhodes suffered from a heat stroke, has abandoned his trip to Khartoum and is hurrying back to Cairo.

Cotton Burned.

Terrell, Tex., Dec. 20.—Fire destroyed 2,000 bales of cotton stored in an old compress here. Loss $80,000.

MARKET REPORTS.

Grain and Stock Prices For Dec. 19.

CLEVELAND—Cattle: Good to choice dry fed steers, 1,200 lbs. and upwards, $5 25@5 50; good to choice dry fed steers, 1,050 to 1,150 lbs., $4 75@5 00; green half fat, 1,000 to 1,200 lbs., $4 25@4 50; green half fat, 900 to 1,000 lbs., $4 00@4 25; good to choice heifers, $4 25@4 60; fair to good heifers, $3 50@4 00; cows, common to choice, $2 00@3 50; bulls, good to choice, $3 00@3 75. Sheep and Lambs—Good to choice wether sheep, $3 40@3 60; fair to good mixed sheep, $3 00@3 25; culls and commons, $2 00@2 50; good to choice lambs, $5 10@5 25; fair to good, $4 75@5 00; culls and commons, $4 00@4 50. Calves—Good to best, $6 00@7 00. Hogs—Medions and heavies, $6 50@6 55; Yorkers, $6 55; pigs, $5 00@5 25.

CHICAGO—Cattle: Good to prime steers, $6 25@7 45; poor to medium, $3 75@5 90; stockers and feeders, $2 00@4 25; cows, $1 00@4 00; heifers, $1 50@5 25; canners, $1 00@2 00; bulls, $1 75@4 00; Texas fed steers, $4 00@5 25. Sheep and Lambs—Good to choice wethers, $3 75@4 50; fair to choice mixed, $2 75@3 40; western sheep, $3 00@4 25; native lambs, $3 50@5 50; western lambs, $4 25@5 00. Calves—$2 50@5 75. Hogs—Mixed and butchers, $5 80@6 50; good to choice heavy, $6 25@6 70; rough heavy, $5 90@6 10; light, $5 00@5 90. Wheat—No. 2 red, 80½@82c. Corn—No. 2, 66c. Oats—No. 2, 46½@46½c.

PITTSBURG—Cattle: Choice, $6 10@6 30; prime, $5 75@6 00; good, $5 25@5 60; tidy butchers, $4 70@5 10; fair, $4 10@4 60; heifers, $3 50@4 75; cows, stags and bulls, $2 00@4 25; fresh cows, $20 00@60 00. Sheep and Lambs—Choice sheep, $3 75@4 00; good, $3 25@3 60; fair, $2 75@3 10; lambs, $5 50@5 85. Hogs—Prime heavy, $6 45@6 55; heavy mediums, $6 25@6 35; light mediums, $6 15@6 20; heavy Yorkers, $6 05@6 10; light Yorkers, $5 70@5 85; pigs, $5 50@5 60.

BUFFALO—Cattle: Best heavy steers, $6 40@6 50; medium to good shipping, $5 75@6 25; others, $4 00@5 50; cows, $1 50@4 40; heifers, $3 25@4 00. Sheep and Lambs—Best lambs, $5 30@5 40; fair to good, $4 75@5 00; culls and common, $4 00@4 50; mixed sheep, $3 35@3 65; wethers and yearlings, $4 00@4 25; culls and bucks, $2 00@2 80. Calves—$6 50@7 50. Hogs—Pigs, $5 35; Yorkers, $5 90@6 10; mediums and heavy, $6 30@6 60.

COLUMBUS—Fruits and Vegetables—Jobbers' Selling Prices—Cabbage: York state, $1 00 per cwt. Celery—Ohio, $2 00@3 00 per case; California, $4 00. Cranberries—Per bbl., $7 50; per crate, $2 25@2 50. Grapes—Catawbas, 15c. Honey—24 sections, per lb., 17@18c. Potatoes—$1 00 per bu. Sweet Potatoes—$2 50 per bbl.; Jerseys, $3 75 per bbl. Onions—$3 75 per bbl.; Spanish, $1 75 per crate.

NEW YORK—Cattle: Steers, $4 00@6 25; oxen and stags, $4 00@5 00; bulls, $2 65@3 65; cows, $1 00@3 75. Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, $2 25@3 75; extra, $3 90; culls, $2 00; lambs, $4 50@6 05; culls, $3 00@4 00; Canada lambs, $5 30@6 00. Calves—Veals, $4 50@8 50. Hogs—State hogs, $6 25@6 40. Wheat—No. 2 red, 83c. Corn—No. 2, 70½c. Oats—No. 2, 51c.

CINCINNATI—Wheat: No. 2 red, 85½c. Corn—No. 2 mixed, 69c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 49½@50c. Rye—No. 2, 70c. Lard—$9 00. Bulk Meats—$8 72½. Bacon—$9 75. Hogs — $4 00@6 35. Cattle — $2 25@5 35. Sheep—$1 25@4 75. Lambs—$3 25@4 75.

BALTIMORE—Butter: Fancy creamery, 25@26c. Eggs—Fresh, 27@28c.

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ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

Before F. E. Duffield, Justice of the Peace, Ottawa township, Allen county Ohio.

Wm. Pifer, plaintiff,
vs.
Barney Jones, defendant.

On the 8th day of November, 1901, said Justice of the Peace issued an order of attachment, in the above action, for the sum of eleven and 50-100 dollars ($11 50).

Lima, Ohio, Dec. 19, 1901.
Wm. PIFER,
58-6wks Plaintiff.

ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

Before F. E. Duffield, Justice of the Peace, Ottawa township, Allen county, Ohio.

J. F. Schilling, plaintiff,
vs.
John Walsh, defendant.

On the 30th day of November, 1901, said Justice of the Peace issued an order of attachment, in the above action, for the sum of two and 50-100 dollars ($2.50).

Lima, Ohio, Dec. 19, 1901.
J. F. SCHILLING,
58-6wks Plaintiff.

ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

Case No. 5395.
Docket 4. Page 45.

Anna E. Marmon
vs.
David Machan.

Before Wm. E. Reilly, Justice of the Peace, within and for Ottawa township, Allen county, Ohio.

The defendant will take notice that on the 26th day of November, A. D. 1901, said Justice issued an order of attachment in the above entitled action for the sum of $163.50 and that said attachment will be for hearing upon the 19th day of January, A. D. 1902, at 9 o'clock a. m., at his said office.

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MINER A. ATMUR, Atty.
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BANEY & SHEPARD,

Metropolitan Barber Shop.

NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Citizens Loan and Building Co., of Lima, Ohio, will be held on Friday, January 17, 1902, at 7 p. m., for the election of directors and auditors, and such other business as may come before them.

L. A. FELTZ, Secy.
Lima, O., Dec. 17, 1901.
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THE NORTHERN OHIO RAILWAY COMPANY.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Northern Ohio Railway Company, for the election of directors and other general purposes, will be held at the office of The Lake Erie & Western Railroad Company, in Lima, Ohio, on Monday, January 13th, 1902.

The transfer books will be closed December 21st, 1901, at 12 o'clock noon, and will be reopened January 14th, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m.

CHARLES F. COX, Secretary.
dec 13-4wks.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 10748.
Ex. Doc. 14. Page 18.

The Indemnity Savings & Loan Co., Plaintiff
vs.
Jacob F. Shook, et al., Defendant.
Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the court of common pleas of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

Saturday, December 21, 1901,

Between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situated in the city of Lima, Allen county, state of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Inlot number nineteen hundred and eight (1908) in John Reece's addition to the city of Lima, Ohio, except one hundred and ten (110) feet off of the east end of said lot; being a lot of land fronting fifty (50) feet on Reece avenue and extending east one hundred and eighteen (118) feet to an alley, and being house number 923 and 925 Reece avenue.

Appraised at $800.00.
Terms of sale: Cash.

E. A. BOGART,
Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio.
Lima, Ohio, November 15, 1901.
Copeland & Rogers, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

Before F. E. Duffield, Justice of the Peace, Ottawa township, Allen county, Ohio.

E. W. Price, plaintiff,
vs.
The Elliott & Hatch Book-Type-Writer Co., defendant.

On the 2d day of December A. D., 1901, said Justice of the Peace issued an order of attachment, in the above action, for the sum of thirty-five ($35.00) dollars.

Lima, O., Dec. 7th, 1901.
E. W. PRICE.
By Becker & Becker, his attorneys.
46-3wks.

MONEY TO LOAN.

AT 4½ TO 5 per cent FROM ONE TO TEN YEARS, in sums of $300 and upward, on FARM LANDS or LIMA CITY PROPERTY. Privilege of paying $100, or any multiple thereof, at any interest day. LOANS MADE AT ONCE.

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RAILROAD

me Card in Effect Nov. 3rd, 1901.

From Lima, Ohio.
TRAINS WEST. Depart.
Vestibule Limited, daily for
ago and the West........11:35 a m
Pacific Express, daily, for
ago and the West.......... 1:12 a m
Express, daily, except Sun-
for Chicago and the West 9:10 a m
Wells-Fargo Limited Ex-
daily, except Monday.. ... 3:59 p m
TRAINS EAST.
Vestibule Limited daily,
New York and Boston..... 9:02 p m
Express, daily, except Sun-
.... 8:24 p m
Express, daily for New
.... 8:41 a m
13 will not run days following
olidays.
ugh Coaches and sleeping cars to New
nd Boston.
FRANK C. McCOY, Agent.
MORRISON, Trav. Pass. Agt.
Huntington.

C. H. & D. RAILROAD.

South Bound.

Departs.
Daily .... 2:10 a m
Daily except Sunday .... 5:30 a m
daily except Sunday ..... 8:56 a m
Daily .... 12:41 p m
Daily .... 4:20 p m
Daily .... 6:00 p m
Sunday only .... 6:50 a m
Daily, except Sunday, Arr. 7:45 p m
Sunday only, arrives.....11:50 p m

North Bound.

Departs.
Daily .... 2:35 a m
daily except Sunday........ 5:30 a m
daily except Sunday ..... 8:08 a m
Daily .... 11:57 a m
Daily except Sunday..... 4:35 p m
Sunday only .... 7:43 a m
Daily except Sunday, Arr. 9:00 p m
Sunday only, Arr........ 9:55 p m
Sunday only, leaves...... 6:16 a m

L. E. & W. RAILROAD.

East Bound—Leaving Time.
Eastern Express, daily..... 6:11 p m
N. Y. and Boston Lm'td, ex-
Sunday .... 1:42 p m
Cleveland and Buffalo Fast
except Sunday.......... 8:15 a m
West Bound—Leaving Time.
N. Y., Kansas City and
r Lm'td, daily .... 9:47 a m
Lima and St. Louis Ex-
except Sunday .... 3:50 a m
N. Y., Cleveland and In-
polis Express, except Sun-
.... 4:38 p m
Cleveland and Lima Special,
except Sunday .... 8:20 p m

s No. 2 and 4 run in connection
e L. S. & M. S. "fast flyers," the
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or Cleveland, Buffalo, New York,
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LOCAL TIME CARD.

P. F. W. & C.
EAST BOUND.
burg special, daily....... 12:52 a. m.
ern express, daily......... 7:34 a. m.
line accommodation,
ly except Sunday......... 9:50 a. m.
Alliance, daily except
nday..................... 1:37 p. m.
York special, daily...... 5:37 p. m.
Express, daily........... 9:30 p. m.
ted Express, daily........ 10:48 p. m.
WEST BOUND.
ago and west daily........ 2:00 a. m.
ted Express, daily....... 2:30 a. m.
ago Special, daily........ 8:25 a. m.
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t Sunday................. 9:40 a. m.
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C. L. & M. RAILROAD.

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03.... *Miller ....
05.... *Mentley ....
07.... Southerton ......Lv 4:06
09...... Rice ....Lv 4:00
14... Continental (2)...Lv 3:45
...... Continental (2)...Ar 3:15
18...... *Leon ....
20.. Dormington (3)...Lv. 2:55
20.. Dormington (3)....Ar 2:45
22...... Kalida ....Lv 2:35
22...... Kalida ....Ar 2:20
27...... *Seitz ....
29... Jones City (4)....Lv 1:59
32.... Gomer ....Lv 1:50
38.... *Pogue ....
40... North Lima (5)...Lv 1:30
41... C. H. & D. Xg. (5)..Lv 1:25

g Stations.
s. 1 and 2 daily, except Sundays.

DETROIT SOUTHERN.

effect Sunday, December 15th, the
of time of passenger trains at Lima
ows:

Going South.
.... 2:15 p. m.
.... 6:00 a. m.

Going North.
.... 10:55 a. m.
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Believed to be the Best Well Ever Drilled in That Territory.

Lima Operators Hasten to the Scene and Scramble for Leases—News from Beaumont and Other Fields.

Delphos, O., Dec. 19.—Walkup & Lytle, drilling in a well on the Grothouse lease, south of this town had to cease work today on account of the flow of oil, which at intervals raised above the top of the derrick and prevented the tools from making any readway, after reaching a depth of 45 feet in the sand. The well has been tubed and put to pumping, and when the supply settles down it will be drilled deeper and shot, if necessary. It is the best showing well that has ever been drilled in that vicinity. News of the strike was telephoned to Lima, and oil men from that place arrived here on the evening train to go after leases in the neighborhood.

Shipments From Beaumont.

The shipments of Beaumont oil for Thursday, December 12, were 149 cars, which aggregate 23,106 barrels, says the Derrick. This is the largest day on record. The total for the first 12 days of the month was 187,274 barrels, or an average of 15,606 barrels a day. These are very encouraging figures and show that the demand for fuel oil will constantly increase as consumers come to have more confidence in the continuity of the supply.

Trying to Explain It.

Says a New York dispatch: Oil interests in this city agree that the sudden cut of 15 cents a barrel on high-grade crude oil during the last week, made by the Standard Oil Co., is caused by the foreign situation. Samuel Q. Brown, president of the Tidewater Oil Co., No. 12 Broadway, said that the necessity of getting rid of the enormous surplus of refined oil and the improved facilities for reaching the European markets had resulted in concessions in regard to prices, which are behind the recent drop in American oil.

The Russian oil industry has been demoralized for several months and heavy stocks of refined oil have accumulated. Large quantities of this surplus found a market in Europe, coming in direct competition with the American product. Germany has also been encouraging the consumption of Russian oil by discriminations against the American article. The possibilities of the Texas oil fields have exercised a sort of reflex action upon the Russian trade, which in turn has affected our home product. William Rockefeller said that it was probably true that the recent reduction in prices was due to the Standard's desire to get rid of more oil that had been held for higher prices, because field operations had not kept up with the demand for the finished product. He made no comment on the situation, however.

At the offices of the Columbia Oil Co., of New York, it is said today that the season was now practically over; that the Standard Co. had probably begun to realize that there were other oil fields than those of Pennsylvania, and that the foreign situation was undoubtedly at the bottom of the recent reduction. The recent reduction in quotations is on credit balances, by which is meant the price the company will allow the producers for oil.

Operations at Findlay.

A number of wells are about to be completed in the South Marion township field. T. C. Kelly has three wells which will be finished, barring accident, within the next few days, says the Findlay Republican. One of the wells is on the Riddlebaugh farm, another on the Bright lease, and the third on the J. W. Jacobs farm. The well on the Major Bright farm is in the sand with a good showing. The other wells will be in the sand the first part of the week. Well No.2 on the McHill farm operated by Bright, Manecke & Gardner is good for 100 barrels. The same operators are getting in stuff for a new well on the Crouse farm in Biglick township. It will offset T. C. Kelly's No. 3 on the Henry Davis farm. T. C. Kelly's No. 1 on the Major Bright farm in Marion township is doing about a tank a week.

Pogue & Bicknell are putting up a rig for a new well on the old William Marvin farm five miles west of the city in Marion township. The farm is now owned by Charles Jordan and Col. Moores. It is situated on the banks of the Blanchard river and is a trifle out of the oil belt. Seven years ago Carey Harris had a lease on the Marvin farm along with 7,000 acres of other leases in Marion and Jackson townships. He drilled thirteen wells on the holdings, but not one of the holes showed oil. The only favorable indication was the striking of a few small gas wells.

The citizens' Gas Plant and Coke company shot a well on the Grable farm in Marion township Saturday. It showed up for 200,000 cubic feet and a 300 pound rock pressure. The same company has completed a gas well on the Wilson farm in Marion township which showed a gauge of 500,000 feet. The rock pressure was however, very low.

Carey Harris has returned from the Kentuckey oil field. In the opinion of Mr. Harris the Blue Grass state has a great future before it. He saw a number of the wells which have been reported to be making large quantities of oil and found the account to be true in every instance. Mr. Harris reports that the operators who have entered Kentucky have the means and experience to develop the country.

In Local Territory.

McCambridge, Brownyar & Co.'s well on the Simon Good, west of Elida, after being put to pumping made 60 barrels the first 24 hours.

Spellacy, Sibbie & Sheridan have finished a well on the Ward farm, Bath township, that made 80 barrels. They are ready to case on the Mason and are rig building for No. 5, Gray.

There is not much doing around Bluffton. The wells that have been recently completed have not been very encouraging for a large pool.

The Ohio Oil Company's No. 3 on the Brunck farm, west of Elida, is a wonder. After flowing through the casing for two weeks it was tubed and put to pumping, starting off at a 300-barrel gait.

Gallespie's well on the Victor Good farm, section 35, Ridge township, Van Wert county, has produced over 290 barrels a day. Being north of the Venedocia developments it has caused a scramble for leases.

Holiday slippers in an endless assortment for men, women and children at the Columbia Shoe Store.

A lazy liver makes a lazy man. Burdock Blood Bitters is the natural, never failing remedy for a lazy liver.

A camera for Xmas would be not only a fund of amusement but a source of instruction for young people. LeRoy H. Hume, Masonic building. 9-tf

Ordinary household accidents have no terrors when there's a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the medicine chest. Heals burns, cuts, bruises, sprains. Instant relief.

$1.48 buys a fine pair of gentlemens' slippers at the Columbia.

Fine mixed candy at 7 cents a pound at Arndt's store, 814 south Main street. 7-3t

DIAMOND RINGS
From $10.00 up at Basinger & Cameron's. 7-3t

Get mixed nuts at Dimond Bros'. they handle the best. 7-2t

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Saturday, Dec. 21st.
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NOTHING BUT FUN
MURRAY & MACK
COMEDIANS
PRESENT
THAT FAMOUS COMEDY
FINNIGAN'S BALL
ALL-SMILES
BIGGEST FARCE COMEDY COMPANY ON TOUR
Matinee Prices: 10c, 25c.
Evening Prices: 25, 50, 75c

Christmas Slippers.

Nothing you can give your husband, brother or sweetheart will prove of greater satisfaction to him than a pair of these pretty and comfortable Slippers. Imagine his pleasure in finding a nice easy pair of Slippers ready for him as he comes home from his business all tired and worn out.

This is a beautiful and comfortable Nullifier, made up in the best style, and can be had in either black or tan, for
$1.35

An elegant high front Slipper, kid lined in three colors—black, tan or wine, a good value at
$1.35 to $2

One of the most comfortable Slippers in stock, a man's opera slipper in three colors for
$1.35 and $1.50

A nicely made black velvet house slipper, with beautiful embroidery work for
50 cents.

F. B. Hover Shoe Co.,
31 PUBLIC SQUARE.

OUR HOLIDAY COST SALE.
FOR CHRISTMAS BUYERS.

Crowds Are Growing Daily.
Join The Christmas Rush.

ONLY a few more days and then Christmas. We are better prepared than ever before to supply your wants. The buying has commenced in earnest. It would be wise to join the multitude at as early an hour as possible, as the indications point to a tremendous rush at the las minute. You will find a wonderful purchasing power in every dollar spent with us. Expensive things we have made inexpensive. Throughout the entire store we are offering you money saving opportunities at the time when they are the most benefit to you. It enables you to do a lot more buying than you could possibly expect, and we are prepared to give you a pleasant experience.

Bargains In Every Department.
A Genuine Cost Sale.

A Large Force of Courteous Clerks.
MRS. F. LIGHT,
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We Take This Opportunity

Of reminding our friends and patrons that our store simply teems with sensible suggestions for Christmas presents for men and boys of every age; presents that will surely be appreciated above all, because they are useful as well as beautiful. What can be a more welcome gift than one of our up-to-date Overcoats or Suits for the husband, for the boy or for the little fellow or some other article of

Holiday Furnishing Goods?

OUR FURNISHING GOODS DEPARTMENT
Is filled with the most attractive and up-to-date line of haberdashery that we have ever shown, including every style and pattern worn by the best dressed men of New York and other large cities, and every article is priced so moderately as to put it within reach of the most economically disposed.

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"As beautiful and durable as friendship's ties" in every correct shape.

SHIRTS.
Stiff and soft bosoms, white and fancy, plain and pleated, made from good reliable materials and first-class workmanship.

UNDERWEAR.
Plain and fancy, to suit all tastes—pure wool underwear. If you don't want the wool pulled over your eyes, Mercerized Underwear, Balbriggan and various mixtures of wool and cotton, as well as fleeces.

HOSIERY.
Wool, cotton, lisle, cashmere, fancy, etc., medium and heavy weights. Newest patterns, also plain blacks and natural colors. The colors in even our cheapest hose will not run, even though they are called fast colors.

UMBRELLAS of every description from the cheapest silks to the finest silks in the plain and fancy handles.

DRESS SUIT CASES AND TRAVELING BAGS
In endless varieties, and will make a very appropriate Xmas gift.

EVERY ARTICLE OF FURNISHING GOODS that man or boy can, will or may want, and will make useful presents for Christmas.

Our SUITS and OVERCOATS appeal to the good taste of the most fashionably dressed men in this vicinity, and are guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction. There is a good saving of money, too, for you on every purchase.

HATS and CAPS of every description for every occasion and for all sorts of weather.

SHOES for every walk of life, full of grace and comfort and guaranteed to fit perfectly, moderately priced.

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HELD

For Appearance in January.

Mrs. Watkins

Is Returned to Jail at Paulding.

Could Not Furnish Bail in the Sum of One Thousand Dollars.

Testimony Showed She Had Received Five Dollars from the Shaffers for Each Patient She Sent Them.

Mrs. Sallie Watkins, of this city, who was arrested here about ten days ago and taken to Paulding, Ohio, to answer to the charge of being an accessory to the Antwerp crime, which cost an unfortunate Allen county girl her life, was given a preliminary trial yesterday at Paulding and the hearing resulted in her being returned to jail to await the session of the next grand jury, which will meet in January. Concerning the hearing a dispatch from Paulding to the Toledo Bee, dated yesterday says:

"Sally Watkins, the clairvoyant, of Lima, charged with abetting the criminal operation performed at Antwerp was arraigned before Justice Stumm at 9 o'clock this morning accompanied by her son, Charles Regau, of Lima.

"Attorney C. F. Sprague, of Lima, assisted by J. C. Heaton conducted the defense; Prosecutor Zuber and Attorney Donart, for the state. The prisoner was cool and attentive, but emphatically approving or denying the evidence as it was presented by continually nodding or shaking her head. The evidence made a well-connected story that the prisoner met the girl, took them to Fort Wayne, introduced them to Mrs. Shaffer, received a fee of $5 each for her work and was rewarded by the people she was sending them to. Court held prisoner under $1,000 bond for her appearance at the January term of court. Bail not being furnished she was sent to jail."

HAWKENS CUT GLASS
At Basinger & Cameron's. 7-3t

THE SICK.

Encouraging News from Several Patients.

Lieut. of police Phil Goebel, who underwent a surgical operation a few days ago, is steadily improving and will probably be able to be about again soon.

Glenn Shook, the son of officer J. L. Shook, who was so badly injured in an elevator accident in the Holmes block several days ago, is still at the city hospital and is reported to be slightly improved.

Former city detective Charles Roney, who has been critically ill for some time, was today, reported slightly improved.

The young son of policeman I. M. Armstrong, a typhoid fever patient, is convalescent.

WHAT TOWNSEND HAS.

Turtles, Rabbits, Turkeys, Ducks, Chickens.
Fish, Choice Meats, Oysters, Backbones, Tenderloins, Home made Mince Meat, Lettuce, Celery.
Fruit, Radishes, Nuts, 14 kinds of imported and domestic cheese.

St. Paul's Lutheran church will give their annual supper Saturday evening, in the court house. Supper 25c. 8-2t

SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY.
French burnt peanuts 8c a pound. The Candy Kitchen, s. w. cor. Public Square.

TWO BUSINESS ROOMS
For rent with living apartments and one basement barber shop room, corner Wayne and Union streets.
1t* A. G. LUTZ.

If you want the finest box of candy, get one of Stolzenbach's. 8 4

PERSONAL MENTION.

L. H. Beall, Jr., arrived here from the Denison University today, to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Beall, of 223 St. Johns avenue.

Miss Lee Lufkin is spending the holidays in the city with Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey F. Lufkin.

PERSONALS

Miss Carrie Jones left today for Hartford, Indiana to spend a week with her brother, Mr. Joseph Jones.

Leon Laney, who is attending school in Boston, returned Sunday for the holidays.

Miss Edna Lowe and Miss Ruth Wheeler return tomorrow from Knoxville, Ill., where they have been attending St. Marys college.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stagman and family, of south Collet street, leave Sunday for Cincinnati for a ten days visit with relatives.

Miss Lee Lufkin, of New York, is home for the holidays and Mr. and Mrs. Elgood Lufkin and children and Florence will arrive on Monday, all to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Lufkin, of west Market street.

Miss Mary Gray is home from St. Vincent Academy at Cincinnati.

Mr. Barry Townsend will return from Mt. Clair Military Academy, at Mt. Clair, New Jersey, Sunday morning.

Miss Susan Humpston, who is directress of music in the St. Marys college at Fairbault, Minn., is home for the holidays.

Miss Nano Golley, tomorrow returns from St. Marys college at South Bend, Ind.

Virginia, the little daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Walter N. Boyer, is quite ill.

Mr. George Taylor is home from Adelbert college at Cleveland, for the holidays.

Master Walton Thomson, who has been attending school at Black Hall, Mass., came home yesterday for the holidays.

Holmes Mackenzie, who attends the Lawrenceville, New Jersey, school, is home for Christmas and New Years.

Miss Vera Watson, who has been in Chicago, studying music, is home for Christmas.

Van Cleve Holmes is home from Amherst college for his vacation.

Miss Madge Ewing, who attends the Walnut Lane Seminary, at Germantown, Pa., is home for the holidays.

Mr. Warren McLaughlin, who has been attending Columbia college, returned home today, accompanied by Mr. Jesse Mellin, who is one of the professors at Orchard Lake Seminary.

Mr. Thomas McLaughlin returned today from Hamilton college, New York state.

Miss May Argue and Miss Edith Argue returned today from Bradford, Mass., where they have been attending college.

Mr. Walter Morris is home from Kenyon college for Christmas and New Years.

Mr. Walter Jackson, of south Main street, is home from Kenyon college, for the holidays.

Miss Esther Wheeler arrived home today from Cleveland, where she has been attending Miss Muddleburger's school.

Miss Edna Wells, of St. Marys, is a guest of the Robbins family on Second street.

Clint Robbins and the Misses Flossie and Nettie Harter, of 413 Second street, left today for a visit at Komo, Ind.

LOCAL

Talent Will Sing at Cleveland Eisteddfod.

The Cleveland Eisteddfod, to be held in Gray's Armory on the morning, afternoon and evening of Christmas day, promises to be even more successful than the one held in the same place three years ago. The program is exceptionally fine and the number of competitors greater than ever. The choral competitons will be especially fine. Choruses, mixed, male, female and juvenile, are going from this city, New Castle, Pa., Cincinnati, Columbus, Ada and Painesville in Ohio, and the famous Metowee Glee Club of West Pawlet, Vt., will be on hand to try for the male chorus prize. The result will probably be the finest lot of choral singing ever heard in Ohio.

Stolzenbach always leads in fine box candies. 8 4

The train in Michael's window which was in the repair shop a few days is now running again.

Good bananas 5c a dozen at the Candy Kitchen, s. w. cor. Square.

All the latest books and a big assortment at the City Book Store. 8 2

The Crowds Find What They Want In Christmas Goods At FELDMANN'S

Here you see the most popular FURS—the greatest line of UMBRELLAS—by far the choicest collection of HANDKERCHIEFS—Beautiful NECKWEAR NOVELTIES—Excellent HOSIERY and GLOVES--Handsome BEAD BAGS, POCKET BOOKS and CHATELAINS---Pretty FANS and FANCY APRONS---Fancy PIN CUSHIONS and PILLOWS---PERFUMERY and JEWELRY NOVELTIES--Rich SILK WAISTS, DRESS SKIRTS and PETTICOATS---Original Novelties in Fancy BRIC-A-BRAC.

ALL AT POPULAR PRICES.

You can fill your holiday list more easily and satisfactorily at this store than elsewhere.---Every department is at its best.

Christmas is Drawing Nearer and Nearer.

THE GIFT BUYERS ARE BECOMING THICKER AND THICKER.

Procrastination will cause you more and more inconvenience as the time for doing your Holiday shopping shortens. During your tour among the stores, for your sake as well as ours, don't forget to visit this store. Within its four walls are contained an enormous stock of goods, especially for the Holiday trade.

Useful Xmas Gifts. | Everything Useful for Man, Boy or Child.

Smoking Jackets

BUY HERE OR PAY more elsewhere.

Two toned effects in pretty styles at $5.00.

SWELL JACKETS that were formerly $10, now $8.00.

VERY PRETTY COATS that include our very best grade, nothing better in Lima at $10.00.

Bath Robes.

These useful articles are getting more popular each year. Our designs are all imported and you should beware of many immitations that are offered.

The genuine blanket flannel bath robes with cord and tassel at $5.00.

Finer quality at $7.50.

Mufflers or Neck Protectors.

Give a man or lady a muffler and they appreciate it. They are being more extensively worn now than heretofore.

Way's mufflers, the kind that fasten around the neck, 50c, 75c and $1.00.

Square mufflers, white, black and colored, 25c, 50c and $1.00.

Harvard mufflers quilted at 50c.

Swell massive silk mufflers, folded in pleats at 75c, $1.00 and $1.50.

Long silk scarfs, very swell at $2.00.

Christmas Sale of Men's Fine Overcoats.

We herewith mention five numbers, great values, especially for Christmas buyers.

Men's Oxford gray long overcoats, style and make exactly like the higher priced garments, warranted all wool at $10.00.

Men's perfectly tailored yoke overcoats, fine in quality, excellent quality of dark Oxford cloth, peaked lapels, new style pockets at $15.00.

Men's fine green frieze overcoats, a very swell shade, made in the latest Fullmore pattern, long and full, hang very gracefully and superbly tailored at $18.00.

Men's very fine quality freize and vienna yoke overcoats, the swellest appearing garments ever offered in Lima, you'll bear us out in this assertion at $20.00.

Men's very finest cloth overcoats, entirely lined with heavy silk, only equalled by the $50 and $60 made to order coats at $25.00.

Presents for The Children.

Suits from $1.50 to $7.50.

Overcoats from $2.50 to $12.00.

Caps from 25c to $1.00.

Sweaters at 50c, 89c, $1.25.

Kid and wool gloves at 25c and 50c.

Children's waists at 50c.

Little suspenders at 10c, 15c and 25c.

Suit Cases and Traveling Bags.

These make very appropriate gifts as they make an almost everlasting impression.

Traveling bags from 75c to $12.00.

Dress suit cases from $2.50 to $15.00.

The Fitzgerald bag is the bag if you want to make a luxurious gift. Suit case and traveling bag combined Two sections, two locks, two keys. Price $20.00.

Neckwear.

You never saw so many pretty ties as are here this year. Quality fine and DESIGNS of UNUSUAL BEAUTY.

Swell puffs one in a box at 50c.

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